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POST-SCRIPTS

By GEORGE ROTHWELL BROWN

"In faithful memory she records the crimes
Of real or fictitious, of the times;
Laughs at the reputations she has torn,
And holds them dangling at arm's length in scorn."

Tech bows in defeat to Lalapa-oosa.

Those New York Stock Exchange seats that sell at \$550,000 must be in the first row on the aisle.

Probably there won't be a Virginia or North Carolina Republican in the next Cabinet, as it's so hard to decide whether to select a Baptist or a Methodist.

That meteor that fell in the Philippines the other day is said to have been the most brilliant thing to drop in since Carmi Thompson was out there.

The Wall street market shows as yet no signs that it will sag; we think of those who good things get, not those who hold the bag.

"New lamps for old" was a tempting cry.

When pleasure beckons, her followers fly;

But for ardent emulation,
For headlong hurry that naught can restrain,

Is there aught like the modish pursuit of Gain,

Which fires the mixed multitude dross in the train

Of the Spirit of Speculation."

The death of Thomas Fortune Ryan at a moment when the country is agog over the stupendous wealth left by one of the Whitneys is a singular coincidence. Fortune was his middle name!

What's left of the Philadelphia police force is now wondering what's going to happen to him.

It is too late for the owners of the Vestris to complain that the "black gang" wouldn't stay down in the hold—they should have thought of that in time and hired a colony of muskrats to stoke the ship.

Mr. Hoover again insists on a plain, simple inauguration—something, we presume, on the lines of his trip to South America.

Mr. Coolidge is still undecided which one of the jobs the reporters have picked out for him he will select after the Fourth of March, as some of the correspondents are now busy naming the next Cabinet.

Although Mr. Hoover's new-fashioned inaugural will be, indeed, old-fashioned in its simplicity, word from the Maryland, which accompanies the President-elect's decision for a simple ceremony, indicates that without a ball and a pageant as attractions, vast crowds will come to town next March for the big doings. It seems to be up to Washington to get out the glad hand.

If Senator King thinks it is wrong to have raised the pay of Senators to \$10,000 there is still the conscience fund.

Chicago physicians admit that rheumatism is a mighty reliable barometer and we expect any day to hear science say a good word for the horsechestnut.

The gale sweeping England is of such severity that chunks of London fog are being used to fuel ships 245 miles at sea.

With Virginia farmers picking strawberries in the wardrobe of the Maryland, in spite of the hot news, cannot be regarded as the warmest place there is.

Can it be possible that New York would give up a J. Walker to indulge in a Hyman fling?

A good American is one who never knew before that he could be so sympathetically concerned over the state of health of an English king named George. As William J. Lampton once said of the Prince of Wales:

"We're dard sorry to lead Of your iddisposition."

Senator McNary rewrites Hamlet with Hamlet left out.

It sure is going to tax the ingenuity of Congress to think up something more unound than the equalization fee, but doubtless it will be able to achieve the incredible.

It is understood that the Hon. Jim Beck, of Philadelphia, will borrow the Lick Observatory telescope next week to inspect his majority.

In picking out a Democratic State in which to hold their next convention, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, after carefully surveying the field, finally locate one down South.

Maj. Hesse seems determined to leave Wall Street the only safe refuge of our local gamblers.

CREW MUTINY HELPED SPEED VESTRIS DOWN

Black Gang Could Have Kept Ship Up Longer, Says Engineer.

CONFUSED PERSONNEL BLAMED AT HEARINGS

Stokehold Men Declared to Have Fled Posts When Water Poured In.

New York, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Out of two inquiries into the sinking of the liner Vestris, came testimony today that refusal of negro stokers to obey orders shortly before the ship went down contributed to the disaster, and that fear-stricken passengers were left to shift for themselves by a confused and disorganized ship personnel.

At the same time Superintendent Harry Wheeler, of the Lamport & Holt Line, owner of the lost liner, testified the ranking surviving officer had not yet officially reported on the disaster to his employers, although Wheeler said the usual practice of the sea is that such accounts are promptly submitted.

The testimony regarding the stokehold difficulty came from James Avar Adams, chief engineer of the Vestris, who appeared before a Department of Commerce board of inquiry at the customs house. Testimony by Wheeler and H. C. W. Johnstone, a survivor, and an affidavit by Edward Miles Walcott, another survivor, telling of the confusion accompanying the sinking and the last minutes of Capt. William Carey, who went down with his ship, were offered in the hearing being conducted by United States Commissioner O'Neill in the Federal Building.

Says Firemen Bolted. At variance with testimony from some of the stokers that they had remained at their posts until water reached their armchairs a few minutes before the ship went down, the story told by Adams related that about four hours before the Vestris sank with a loss of more than 100 lives, the black gang deserted their positions, leaving eleven engineers to work deep in the ship.

"Don't you think the mutiny of that black gang contributed materially to the disaster of the Vestris?" Adams was asked by Assistant District Attorney Todarelli, who is aiding in the inquiry.

"Yes, it certainly did," Adams replied.

Asked if he had any firearms in his possession, Adams answered: "I had a gun in my cabin, but I had no ammunition."

"Probably because they were frightened," Adams said, the stokers quit the depths of the ship, although he observed that with their aid boilers could have been fired to supply steam for pumps and the Vestris could have been kept afloat longer than it was.

Adams said he did not know the cause of the sinking. Although he noticed seams and rivets leaking, some of the water may have come through a broken starboard scupper, he said, besides entering for a time through an ash ejector and a starboard cooling door.

After the customs-house hearing Walter F. Brown, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, one of three members of the board reviewing the examination given the Vestris by steamboat inspectors before she sailed on her last voyage on November 10, said he believed the disaster was caused, at least partly, by the pumping out of

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SOUGHT IN KILLING



Associated Press Photo. JACK "LEGS" DIAMOND, former bodyguard, who is being sought by New York police for questioning in connection with the slaying of Arnold Rothstein, notorious Broadway gambler.

KING, FEVER LOWER, IS MUCH IMPROVED

George V in Good Spirits as Friends Visit; Not Told of Lung Infection.

TEMPERATURE IS NOW 100

London, Nov. 23 (U.P.).—King George V was officially reported improved tonight after a day of increasing uneasiness and alarm for the 63-year-old head of the House of Windsor, who is confined to bed by a cold and congestion of one lung.

The king had a "quieter" day, his physicians announced, and there was no further extension of the lung "mischief" which was causing concern to millions of his subjects. The official bulletin issued tonight said:

"The king had a quieter day. His temperature is lower and there is no further extension of the mischief in his lung."

STANLEY HEWITT. "DAWSON OF PENN." While the rapidity with which the king's illness has developed caused great uneasiness in official circles, attention also was focused on the remote position of the Prince of Wales, who is hunting lions, deep in the African jungle.

The Duke of Gloucester also is hunting in Africa, and Prince George, fourth son of the king, is at Bermuda, aboard the battleship Durban—five days from London.

The Duke of York, second heir to the throne, was at Buckingham Palace today, having been recalled from Northampton. He conferred with Sir Stanley Hewitt, surgeon-apothecary to the king.

Princess Mary, who is in Yorkshire, will return to remain with Queen Mary during the king's illness. It was understood tonight.

Although it was learned that government officials had seriously considered sending a special message to the Prince of Wales, latest indications were that he would be notified of the king's illness through the regular telegraphic communications. If it became necessary for him to return to London, a long journey either by air or train and ship would be necessary.

Official circles today were discussing the rapid development of the king's illness, recalling that he had given no indication of illness until Tuesday although it had been noticed during the last few weeks that he labored in climbing stairs.

The "mischief" or congestion in one lung might easily turn into bronchitis.

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2 INDICTMENTS IN ROTHSTEIN'S DEATH SOUGHT

Banton Will Demand First-Degree Murder Count Against McManus.

MODEL'S TESTIMONY IS BASIS FOR ACTION

Other Man Is Believed to Be One Who Slew Gambler King.

New York, Nov. 23 (N.Y.N.S.).—The first constructive effort to shatter the coagulated mystery of the murder of Arnold Rothstein, gambler, will be made by District Attorney Banton Monday.

He then will go before the grand jury and ask it to indict George McManus, bookmaker and politician of sorts, for first-degree murder. The man who sat in room 349 at the Park Central Hotel and who summoned Rothstein to the death meeting there virtually was offered the keys to the city if he only would surrender.

The decision to seek the long-awaited indictment, it was learned, turned upon the act of a heretofore ignored witness. She is Mrs. Ruth Keyes, "free lance model" from Chicago, who quaffed highballs with three men in room 349 less than three hours before Rothstein was called there.

In this city as a voluntary guest of the police, she has positively identified a photograph of George McManus as that of one of her drinking companions named "Mac." Of the other two men, she remembered one vaguely known as "Chick." She recalled today that the men, who were drinking heavily, had talked considerably about Rothstein.

Indictment to Be Demanded. On the basis of her story, which will be recounted to the grand jury, District Attorney Banton will demand an indictment.

Moreover, this story has crystallized the police theory of the crime. It is that Rothstein was summoned to the bottle-littered room for an accounting of a debt. A "gorilla" was there to offer an alternative. When Rothstein gambled on the gunman's nerve he lost.

While Banton would not discuss the matter of the indictment, it was learned that a second indictment would be sought. Whom it will name could not be learned. The man was vaguely identified as a "close friend of McManus."

He also was in the room, according to the police, and Rothstein, who died concealing their names, knew both well and looked upon them as friends.

The second man, according to the police, has a long record, with one charge of murder. His photograph has a prominent place in the rogues' gallery and it was first picked out by Mrs. Keyes.

He is the man, police believe, who killed Rothstein. After he is indicted, it will be possible to order his arrest on sight.

Day Marked by Reversal. The day was marked by another reversal of direction by Banton. In this case he reversed a reverse. After having called off the men he assigned to look through 56,000 of Rothstein's private papers because it was "too dreary" a task, he suddenly resumed the task today after newspaper criticism.

These are Rothstein's own private memoranda, which, by Banton's own admission, linked him to an inconceivable broad section of the underworld. Among these dusty files, he said, may lie the secret of Nicky Arnstein and the \$5,000,000 worth of stolen bonds, a dozen unsolved robberies and burglaries, the connection of outwardly respectable people to nefarious activities.

The files technically are in the possession of Nathan Burkan, attorney, counsel for the administrators. Banton said Thursday that he had turned over to Burkan and his accountants.

"I haven't touched them myself," Burkan said today. "I do not intend to touch them until the district attorney's office is through with them."

News dispatches from Detroit that three men—Harry and John Lewis and Edward Freedman, all of New York—had been picked up by police of that city for questioning in connection with the Rothstein case, seemingly astonished the police here. The men were said to have been arrested.

Arrests Astonish Police. "I don't know about them," Inspector Coughlin said.

Too, the police took James ("Fatty") Walsh, former strong-armed representative of Rothstein's, to a police station for questioning. Walsh had been arrested on a robbery charge, but the case was discharged by Magistrate McGuade because of lack of questioning. Walsh categorically denied all knowledge of the murder.

Other developments were: 1. Discovery among Rothstein's files that he had provided a trust fund of \$100,000 for a show girl, Bobby Winthrop, now dead, and that the income then reverted to his wife. The endowment went to her under the name of "John Smith."

2. Hearing before Probate Clerk Kilian on charges that Maurice F. Cantor, Rothstein's lawyer, had concealed the will in fraud, was postponed until December 1. I. Gainsburg, counsel for the family, who are fighting the will, asked for the adjournment.

3. Surrogate O'Brien today signed orders compelling representatives of the Providence Loan Society, pawnbrokers, to appear before him November 27. Pawn tickets issued for their shops were found among Rothstein's papers.

PICKETS PRESAGE PADLOCKS ON GAMBLING, HESSE ASSERTS; GRADY DEATH HUNT WIDENS

Bryant McMahon, Sought in Fatal "Fall" Case, Is Sporting Figure.

POLICE HOLD THEORY OF FIGHT AT PARTY

William A. Kappel, Who Took Dead Man to Hospital, Held.

EVENTS LEADING TO TRAGEDY ARE TRAILED

J. J. Maddock, Arrested, to Be Questioned as to Moves Preceding Plunge.

Bryant McMahon, prominent figure in District sporting circles, is being sought for questioning by police who believe he may hold the key to the mystery surrounding the death early Wednesday morning of John J. Grady. Detectives, their investigation hampered somewhat by the spin-like silence of many of those whom they have questioned, have been unable to trace McMahon's movements definitely since a few hours following the hold-up and robbery of a well-known gambling establishment on Fourteenth street northwest and the subsequent kidnapping and beating of its proprietor.

They have been "tipped off," however, that McMahon may be able to throw some light on the mysterious events in which Grady is said to have figured in a few hours preceding the time in which he either fell or was thrown through a heavy glass window in an air vent in the apartment of Miss Vera Sawyer, 28 years old, of 1614 Fourteenth street northwest.

Two More Men Arrested.

With the continuance until Monday morning at 11:30 o'clock of the inquest into Grady's death by Dr. J. Ramsay Nevitt, District coroner, police yesterday made two additional arrests. Three men and a woman are now held for investigation.

William Arthur Kappel, 30, of 934 New York avenue northwest, and John Joseph Maddock, 28 years old, of 2519 Third street northeast, were arrested shortly before noon yesterday by Headquarters Detectives Joseph Waldron and George Darnall, acting under Lieut. Edward J. Kelly, of the homicide squad. Miss Sawyer and Arthur Green, 30, also of 934 New York avenue northwest, were arrested late Thursday night.

The four held for investigation are at separate precincts in the case of the men, while Miss Sawyer is at the House of Detention. Police did this so that the prisoners will be unable to communicate with each other during their incarceration.

Original Stories Unshaken.

A lengthy grilling yesterday of Miss Sawyer, Green and Kappel, all of whom were in the apartment when Grady received the fractured skull and other injuries which caused his death, failed to shake their original story to police that Grady was drinking with them in the apartment and that he accidentally fell through the thick wire-enmeshed glass in the air vent when he staggered backwards in an effort to sit on a low window sill.

Maddock, although denying he was in the apartment with Grady, was ordered held for questioning about events previous to Grady's death which police said were "important" to their investigation. Detectives are convinced an altercation occurred before Grady's death.

Information regarded as "highly important" by the investigators is that Grady, with the four persons now under arrest and several others, attended a "party" in the Northeast section of the city a short time preceding Grady's death. If they can establish the fact

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MAN HELD IN GRADY DEATH INQUIRY



Louis Johnson, Post Staff Photographer. William Arthur Kappel, in the gray coat on the right, talking with friends and Detective Sgt. Thomas Sweeney, on the left with his back to the camera, in front of the District Morgue yesterday while waiting for the continuation of the inquest into the death of John J. Grady. Kappel is held for investigation.

HOOVER REITERATES BIG INAUGURAL BAN IN FEVERISH TRADING

Says He Would Have Simpler Ceremony Than Coolidge, if Possible.

BIG CROWDS EXPECTED CURB AT NEW HIGH MARK

U. S. S. Maryland, en Route to Annapolis, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Responding to importunities from many sources in the United States for reestablishment of elaborate inaugural ceremonies March 4, President-elect Herbert Hoover announced today that his inauguration would be as simple as possible.

"I do not propose to have any more elaborate ceremony than the most simple ones of recent years," he said in a statement to correspondents aboard the Maryland.

"I have not yet considered the details, but I certainly will not return to the custom of the inaugural ball and an elaborate pageant. My inauguration will be as simple as those of Presidents Wilson, Harding and Coolidge. I would like to simplify that if there are points on which there can be simplification."

The President-elect explained that he had received six or eight requests on shipboard from organizations over the country urging elaborate ceremonies. He added that some people in Washington thought he ought to have an inaugural ball, which was a feature in the days before Wilson, with various organizations, military and otherwise, in a parade from the Capitol to the

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Police Sentries to Seek Nuisance Evidence Against Resorts.

FACTS WILL BE LAID BEFORE PROSECUTOR

Five of Places Guarded by Uniformed Men Close Business.

PROPRIETORS POST COUNTERSENTINELS

Games Moved and Customers Are Given Whispered Warning by Scouts.

Strategy behind Maj. Edwin B. Hesse's move in establishing "picket lines" in his war on gambling was revealed yesterday while the gentlemen of chance perfected countermovements designed to nullify the police chief's activities.

The padlock, terror of dry law violators, is the objective which the police chief has in mind in stationing his men outside of every known gambling resort in the Capital. He hopes through the efforts of these watchmen to be able to convince Leo Rover, United States attorney, that the places are nuisances, and then to have the court issue padlock injunctions similar to those issued in many prohibition cases.

Five of the places which have had a policemen stationed in front of them since the picketing activities started Thursday afternoon, bowed to the apparent wishes of the law last night and closed.

Counterpickets at Work.

But it was this closing that revealed the counterstrategy of those who give the sportsman of the city their fling. For the places that were closed hastily deployed their own pickets, who stood within a few feet of the bluecoats, and in whispers directed former patrons to places to which the particular game they wanted to play had been moved. But the whisperers were never loud enough for the opposition pickets to hear, and as only the inner circle of customers received the word, the police were unable to extend their picket lines to the new addresses. It some cases, it was reported, cards warning former patrons away from the old addresses were being distributed.

The police contented themselves by standing guard over the seven places picketed the previous night, maintaining the watch even over the places that were closed.

The addresses under surveillance, which the police on duty reported were out of business last night, are 1318 Ninth street northwest; 1628 Fourteenth street northwest; 1500 Fourteenth street northwest; one in the 1000 block of I street northwest, and 1610 Fourteenth street northwest.

Police Stay on Guard.

Police guards were kept at these addresses, however, as well as at the other addresses which have received their attention, these being a building at North Capitol and P streets, 1018 Fourteenth street northwest, and 1632 Fourteenth street northwest.

The authorities claimed that even the houses which are still open, suffered a severe cut in business, the presence of "the law" deterring many from entering. On the other hand, the proprietor of one establishment said that his business had not been cut to any appreciable extent and that all games were well patronized.

In the meantime Maj. Hesse let it be known that he has virtually abandoned hope of eliminating gambling through merely stationing the police in front of places in which he believes it is going on. It is understood that this in itself would be considered almost as futile as have been the many raids conducted against such places.

On the other hand, the major believes that through the policemen sta-

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French President's Salary Raised to Meet Living Cost

Doumergue Is to Receive \$144,000 a Year; Elysee Expenses Soar.

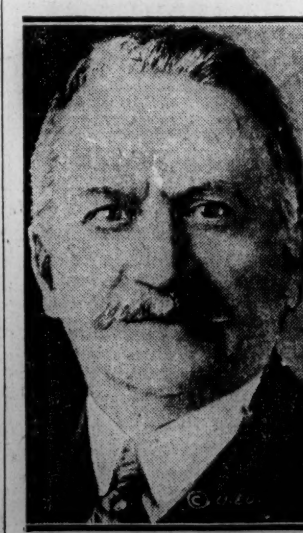
Paris, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—The high cost of living having invaded the Elysee Palace, the home of the French president, parliament today took cognizance of that fact and doubled the salary and expense allowance of President Gaston Doumergue. It fixed his total stipend at 3,600,000 francs a year, raising it from 1,800,000 francs.

Before the war the presidents of France received 1,200,000 francs gold each twelve months. This was equivalent then to \$240,000. Today's raise, while doubling the president's pay in paper francs, makes it only \$144,000 at par and only \$140,750 at current exchange rates.

Despite the 100 per cent increase, President Doumergue will receive almost \$100,000 less than his predecessors, Fallieres, Loubet and Poincare.

President Doumergue is a bachelor and one of the most economical of all occupants of the French White House. His entertainments are simple and less ostentatious than those which were given when there was a "Lady of the Elysee."

Parliament realized that the requirements of the office are burdensome when it was stated that the president



PRESIDENT DOUMERGUE.

had tried to set an example of economy to the nation during the recent financial troubles, but had been unable to save a single centime out of his salary in the past two years. Yet he did not request the increase. The recommendation for it came from Premier Poincare, who, himself draws less than \$8,000 yearly.

Sunday's Post Offers Winners of CONTESTS

Among the many features of Sunday's Washington Post will be:

Winners of prizes in the Santa Claus letter and "Big News" contests, with pictures of successful entrants.

Washington's First Thanksgiving—a timely and authentic story of the National Capital's first observance of the day.

The New Rector at Catholic U.—a story dealing with the career of Mgr. Ryan as a "Scholar," Philosopher and Educator.

The Post All-High Eleven—with pictures of the boys who played best in their positions during the current season.

tioned in front of known gambling places he can obtain evidence which will enable him to convince the courts that they are public nuisances.

"My intention," Hesse said, "is to take this matter up with the district attorney and see if we can padlock injunctions against them."

The police chief was reluctant to disclose the underlying motive of the watchmen, and maintained at first that he merely wanted "to keep a line on the places and see who patronized them."

The actual task of watching the establishments, he said, was up to the captains of the various precincts in which they located. He said that he had given instructions that he wanted a close watch kept on these places and that the captains had assigned their men and given them their instructions.

8 SEIZED IN DRIVE ON BOWIE ROBBERS

Police Believe Arrests Have Broken Up Ring of Race Pickpockets.

3 FORMALLY ACCUSED

Laws Inadequate Is Claim.

The chief was informed that two of his men had been present when a sensational holdup of "the house" was executed in one of the Fourteenth street establishments now being watched. This holdup is said to have been perpetrated by a small group which had just been "gipped" and the money taken, however, was subsequently returned to the proprietor of the house.

Hesse declared that if he learns the identity of the two policemen supposed to have been in the house he will take immediate and drastic action against them. He said that he couldn't imagine a member of the force being "dumb enough to be in such a place."

According to the information given the chief, one of the policemen wanted to interfere when the holdup took place, but was dissuaded by the other by his brother officer who said it wouldn't look well to be mixed up in such an affair.

Both Hesse and his superior, Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty, president of the Board of Commissioners, complained of the poor laws governing gambling. They explained the difficulty of enforcement, and pointed out that it is virtually impossible to obtain evidence which a conviction may be obtained.

Maryland Concern Buys Hoover Field

International Airways, Inc., Pays \$300,000 for 37½ Acres of Ground.

The International Airways, Inc., of Maryland, yesterday announced the purchase of a 37½-acre tract of land in the county of Prince George's, Md., for the purpose of building an airport. The deed of sale of the property in the office of the clerk of Arlington County. The deed, which was recorded yesterday, was made by the Capital Title & Guarantee Co., of this city, shows that the consideration was \$300,000. The field, used for several years by various flying companies, comprises 37½ acres.

The deed was made to James G. Nye, secretary of the company, who conveyed it to the corporation. Mr. Nye is also representative of R. Walton Moore, who is trustee for the property. It is understood that the airport corporation is negotiating for the property now occupied by the Arlington Beach Corporation in order that it may have a landing place on the river front for seaplanes.

Lindbergh at Tampico; Is to Hunt and Fish

Tampico, Mexico, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh landed here at 3:10 this afternoon after a flight of about 2½ hours from Mexico City. He was accompanied by Lieut. Col. Roberto Fierro, Mexican army pilot, piloting the plane with which recently he completed a four-day flight from New York to Cuba. The American aviator had been in Mexico City for about two weeks, the guest of Ambassador Dwight W. Morrow.

Col. Lindbergh expects to remain here a day or two to hunt duck and to fish. He then will continue his homeward flight.

Mrs. Rinehart, Hurdled From Horse, Recovering

Mary Roberts Rinehart, famous novelist, is resting at her Massachusetts avenue home while she recovers from the shock and slight injuries which she received Thursday morning when thrown from her horse in Rock Creek Park.

Mrs. Rinehart was only slightly bruised and her injuries are expected to curtail her activities for any length of time. She was riding with her husband, Dr. Stanley Rinehart, when her mount bolted, throwing her.

Mrs. Oldfield May Run For Seat in Congress

Batesville, Ark., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Mrs. W. A. Oldfield, who succeeded her husband, the veteran congressman of the Second District and Democratic "whip" in the House, for the short term expiring next March.

Mrs. Oldfield was on her way back to Washington today after burial of her husband yesterday. But friends here said she agreed to consider the suggestion that she become a candidate for the unexpired short term. They said that Mrs. Oldfield was a full term member of the House, and that she was elected two weeks before his death and agreed not to offer for the short term.

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THOMAS F. RYAN.

4 KILLED AS PLANE HITS EARTH IN FOG

"See You in Hell!" Last Word as Big Passenger Aero Falls Near Spokane.

2 ARE INJURED; 1 MAY DIE

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—When the pilot apparently lost his bearings in a heavy fog, a giant trimotored Ford passenger airplane crashed near the Palouse Highway just outside Spokane today, killing four persons and seriously injuring two others.

The dead: Lieut. William R. Williams, Spokane, pilot and an officer of the Washington National Guard flying unit stationed here; Lieut. Louis Dee Burger, copilot and mechanic; and a mechanic for the Ford airplane factory, Detroit; residence, Indianapolis.

Arthur G. Enerson, office manager for the Mamer Flying Service in Spokane. The injured: Rex Heath, airways manager, Spokane; David R. Mitchell, Standard Oil employee, Spokane.

Mitchell May Not Live.

No other passengers were in the plane. The big monoplane was returning to Spokane from an air carrier, Colfax, Wash., when it encountered fog. Witnesses said the pilot apparently thought he was higher above the ground than he was when he prepared to land. The wheels of the plane struck the earth several hundred feet from where it finally crashed into a heap. Burger was flying with him on the trip because of his knowledge of Ford planes, and the journey had been uneventful.

Physicians said they expected Mitchell to die.

For two hours Lieut. Williams, who was piloting the monoplane, battled with fog, circling around the outskirts of Spokane seeking a landing place.

Heath, who is business manager for the Spokane Airways, Inc., who gave him the broken aircraft from a hospital cot.

"We took off from Colfax about 8 o'clock," he flew along nicely until near Spokane, when the fog loomed up. We circled Spokane for a long time, hoping that a hole would open in the fog."

"I told Bill (Lieut. Williams) that we shouldn't take any chances and he said we were going to."

Started Through Hole.

Pilot Jack Rose, of the Mamer Flying Service, Spokane, had left Colfax in a Stearman plane.

Heath continued his story: "All at once the Stearman, piloted by Rose, passed us and dove through the fog. Bill said that he could get through if Rose could, and we started down."

"That was our ending. Just as we started through the hole it closed up in front of us. We were confronted with a dense fog of that kind which is so thick and so low that you can't see your hand in front of you. We were flying upside down or not."

However, Bill remained calm, as did everyone else in the plane. "I remember until I came to on the ground."

Recount Cuts Back's Majority Down to 25

Philadelphia, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—The lead of Representative James M. Beck, Republican, over William L. Rooney, Democrat, in the first Congressional District was cut from 50 to 25 today after five of the Seventh Ward ballot boxes had been opened and recounted. Eleven of the divisions of the ward are still to be opened.

RECORD AGAIN BROKEN IN WILD STOCK MART

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record-breaking price of \$550,000, an increase of \$20,000 above the previous high mark set yesterday and \$250,000 above the year's low. This brings the total value of 1,100 memberships at current prices to more than \$600,000.

In view of the fact that the Federal Reserve brokers' loans, made public over the close yesterday, showed the enormous increase of \$170,000,000, lifting the total to a new high record at \$5,157,132,000, the opening of the market today was awaited with unusual interest.

Just before midday, when it looked as if prices would "go through the roof," the financial news tickers printed an item that the Federal Reserve would have an "important statement" at 1 p. m. Many traders, with their nerves worn by the crazy wild markets since election day, became terror-stricken with fear that another official warning against credit inflation was coming, and they rushed to dump stocks overboard. The selling became more general on the heavy week-end profit-taking which followed the news of a special holiday tomorrow.

The Federal Reserve announcement proved to be a "dud" as a market factor, because it concerned only the election of a new governor of the bank. While the position is one of the most important in the financial world, the speculative public's interest, so far as the Federal Reserve is concerned, is to be assured of an ample supply of credit.

T. F. RYAN, FINANCE LEADER, DIES AT 77

Founder of Great Fortune Was Prominent Figure in Democratic Party.

ROSE FROM STORE CLERK

New York, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Thomas Fortune Ryan, one of the founders of big business, died today at his Fifth avenue home, leaving wealth reputed to be between \$300,000,000 and \$500,000,000.

The financier, inactive in recent years after a spectacular career that embraced Democratic politics as well as high finance, died at his home, which was taken ill last Tuesday with acute inflammation of the bladder. He improved somewhat until last evening when he suffered a collapse. His age, 77 years, and his general physical condition precluded an attempt to operate. Death came early this afternoon with members of the family at the bedside.

Word of how Mr. Ryan had disposed of his estate, apparently one of the largest ever accumulated by an individual, was awaited with interest. For it was recalled that he had been estranged from his son, Allan A. Ryan, a broker, several years ago. At the time of the younger Ryan's bankruptcy in 1922, after the famous Stutz Motor car sale, it was reported that the father had placed part of his money at the son's disposal.

When the word went out yesterday that the father had placed part of his money at the son's disposal, it was typical, too, of the careers of other pioneers of his period who, after struggling through both good and bad times, found use for latent talents in the business opportunities that were opening up in this country 80 and 90 years ago.

Was Denounced by Bryan.

Thomas Fortune Ryan, who was one day to be the "Crown Prince" of the "predatory interests" which the Democracy must battle, worked as a boy of 17 in dry goods houses of Baltimore. Two years later found him in Wall street as a broker's clerk and another four years saw him a member of the New York Stock Exchange.

The still youthful native of Nelson County, Va., quickly developed an interest in street railways and lighting, and in 1890 he was in charge of a traction magnate, became his friend, a relationship that led to Ryan's selection as the man who was to have control of the New York Metropolitan Traction Co. and its subsidiaries, a group that eventually emerged as the Interborough Rapid Transit Co.

Held Varied Interests.

In this syndicate were such men as Whitney, Anthony N. Brady, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and William L. Elkins, of Philadelphia; and the day came when the properties they controlled had a combined capitalization of a billion dollars.

Mr. Ryan was interested in numerous railway reorganizations in the South, in Ohio and in West Virginia, and extensive holdings in the rubber and diamond concessions in the Congo Free State.

The financier's place in politics was in the anti-Bryan wing of the Democratic party. As a delegate to the 1904 national convention, he was responsible, so the story went, for the acceptance by various factions of Alton B. Parker's declaration for the gold standard plank.

Bryan's exhortation of Ryan came in the 1912 convention in Baltimore. The financier was reported to let the attack diminish his enthusiasm for the party and he always contributed generously to its war chest.

Mr. Ryan was reported to have retained a deposit of \$400,000,000; the other was in the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railway.

Mrs. Ryan's first wife was Ida M. Barry, daughter of John D. Barry, proprietor of a Baltimore store in which he worked as a youth. She died four years ago. His second wife, who survives him, was formerly Mrs. Cornelius C. Cyle, of New York, whom he married in 1917. She was in the family group at the deathbed.

Spent Youth in Virginia.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Thomas Fortune Ryan, who died today in New York, was reared by his grandfather, George W. Fortune, of Nelson County, Va., who was a prominent planter and guardian after the death of the financier's mother. Mr. Ryan had two near relatives here, William B. Ryan, a cousin, and Mrs. David W. Myers, a second cousin.

Oak Ridge, forty miles from Lynchburg, the country estate of Mr. Ryan in Nelson County is one of the show-places of the State.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Thomas Fortune Ryan, who died in New York today, in giving Sacred Heart Cathedral, Richmond, a plot of land for a vault beneath the church for burial of all members of his family who desired it.

Two sons, the wife of a son and the child of another son are interred in this vault. It is understood by friends that Mr. Ryan was largely responsible for the vault as the last resting place for all members of the Ryan family.

Baltimore Student Riot Jails 42; 5 in Hospital

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Five youths were sent to hospitals for treatment, more than 40 others slightly injured and 42 placed in jail tonight following a riot between adherents of Baltimore Polytechnic Institute and Baltimore City College.

The riot took place when parades of the rival students, prior to their annual football game tomorrow, met in a downtown street.

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Rheumatism Forecasts Storms, Doctors Admit

Chicago, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Three physicians of Rochester, Minn., tented today to the age-old belief that rheumatism is a barometer capable of forecasting weather several hours in advance.

Drs. E. B. Reintschler, Frances Vauxant and L. G. Rowntree told the Central Society for Clinical Research that they had observed a correlation between pain in rheumatism and the presence of a storm in 90 per cent of their cases over a period of years. They also said they found that sunshine affects rheumatic pains and that a surprising accuracy of weather prediction was recorded.

Dr. C. A. Mills, of Cincinnati, reported that patients suffering from adrenal malfunctioning also were affected by weather.

BULGAR REBEL CHIEF DEFIES GOVERNMENT

Troops Sent to Seize Michailoff and Halt Threatened March on Sofia.

PEASANTS FLEE IN FEAR

Sofia, Bulgaria, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—After an exchange of defiance, the Bulgarian government tonight dispatched troops to Petrich to attempt to capture the rebel chief, who was reported to be in the Macedonian revolutionary organization. In view of Michailoff's rejection of a government ultimatum, it is not expected that he will allow himself to be taken without bitter fighting.

The situation had assumed an uglier aspect earlier today, when the government began rushing large contingents of troops from the outlying districts in order to reinforce the Sofia garrison. Tonight, strong units of revolutionaries were placed around all government buildings, while the police guard protecting members of the cabinet was doubled.

Death Deserved, Says Reply.

The government today had sent an ultimatum to Michailoff ordering him to discontinue all acts of terrorism and to abandon his march on Sofia. Michailoff in reply simply declared that Federal troops of the Bulgarian government deserved death, terming them the greatest enemy of the Macedonian people. The government thereupon ordered his arrest.

Foreign Minister Athanasios Buroff today made official admission in Parliament that the Bulgarian government is powerless to crush the revolutionary movement. He informed the members that he had cautioned Great Britain to this effect, if it wanted the revolutionary organization effectively suppressed they must procure the good influence of Bulgaria's neighbors, since Bulgaria is surrounded by them.

Now are living under Yugoslavian and Greek rule.

Adds to Population's Fear.

Buroff, unlike some of his cabinet colleagues, is absolutely opposed to the Macedonian activities. His statement added to the fears of the population, which now believes that general martial law is inevitable.

Thousands of peasants, terrified by the latest excesses of the rebels, continue to flee from the Petrich district. Adherents of the late Gen. Prologoff, who was slain by Michailoff, followed after a revolt in the Macedonian revolutionary ranks, declared tonight that if Michailoff persists in his refusal to accept the government's ultimatum, he will revivify all the past misdeeds and plots of the Macedonian revolutionary organization. Such publication, they said, would be tantamount to signing their own death warrant, since they had been involved in many of these acts against public safety and the government.

Store Manager Held Up On K Street in Daytime

A successful holdup in broad daylight yesterday morning was reported to police of the Sixth Precinct by Irvin P. Ballard, manager of the Sanitary Grocery Co.'s K street market.

According to Ballard, he was walking along the south side of K street northwest, between Sixth and Seventh streets, at 9:30 o'clock, when he was held up at the point of a pistol and robbed of \$240 belonging to the Sanitary Grocery Stores. His assailant was described as a "dark complexioned white man."

The man, who escaped in a small closed automobile.

Police Asked to Seek Girl Who Quit Hospital

Police last night were asked to locate a girl who last Saturday night was taken to Casualty Hospital suffering from the effects of poison, and who, early Monday morning, left the hospital without knowledge of the attendants, and has not been seen since.

She is Miss Leland Smith, 20 years old, daughter of Charles R. Smith, of Pleasant, Md. Officials of the hospital said her condition was serious when she was admitted and was still sick when she left. It was thought that she had returned home when she left the hospital. At the hospital it was said that the girl was thought to be at the home of her father in the city, but the friend could not be located.

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Plane and Ship Service Over the Channel Is Held Up by Storm.

13 ARE SAVED FROM SHIP

London, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Another fall gale, bringing loss of life, distress to shipping, interference with land transport and extensive property damage, raged through England today. The wind reached an official velocity of 34 miles an hour in one place. It was estimated at 100 miles an hour in Yorkshire.

Two persons were killed in Liverpool. One of them was a sandwich board man whose humble means of livelihood caused him to be blown under a motor truck. The other victim was caught under a falling tree.

Hull also reported two deaths, an aged man struggling homeward through the gale, fell dead from overexertion. A schoolgirl was killed when a chimney collapsed as the pupils were leaving the classrooms. Bricks and debris showered all of the children, but the others escaped with bruises.

At Edinburgh the barometric pressure was 28.11. This was the lowest on record since 1894.

Steamer Service Canceled.

So fierce was the blow on the channel that railway steamer service between Dover and Ostend was canceled at midday. The afternoon airplane trips from Croydon to the continent also were called off.

In London roofs, shop windows and billboards suffered severely. The whole city was drenched with heavy rains.

A terrific gale swept the North Riding in Yorkshire. It was accompanied by torrential rains, which swelled the streams to flood stage. Lincolnshire suffered similarly. At Carlisle a fallen tree blocked both the main railroad lines to Scotland.

A number of fishing fleets, caught away from their bases by the gale, were subject for anxiety. It was believed, however, that all these small craft managed to make port without loss of life.

The fury of the gale was felt more strongly perhaps at sea and along the coast than in the interior. The Spanish steamer Cantabria was driven ashore at Aysa, Isle of Man. A rocket brigades was standing by tonight and an attempt will be made to refloat the vessel at high tide. The crew of 23 was reported to be in no immediate danger.

Loss of Life Undetermined.

The gale and sea had apparently taken an undetermined toll of life in the sinking of the German steamer Herwenia off the Irish coast. The Danish steamer Etonia rescued thirteen of the German seamen, but the crew of the Herwenia was believed to have included many more.

Fog rather than wind was blamed for the mishap to the Greek steamer Virginia, abandoned by her crew off Portugal. The crew was rescued by a Spanish trawler and after being landed at Oporto charged that the ship had been struck by an unidentified vessel which had made no attempt to aid.

The Virginia tonight was reported under tow for Oporto by those who found her abandoned and floating.

The violence of the wind at the busy port of Southampton caused delay to several liners scheduled to depart. These included the Tuscania, bound for New York. The Majestic from New York was late in berthing. Shipping was inconvenienced also in the Mersey River, where the Canadian Pacific liner Montcalm landed its passengers at an early port and had them carried to their scheduled destination by motor coach.

Ship Driven Aground.

Manila, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—The Japanese steamer Saka Maru today was driven aground on the island of Luzon by a typhoon which is sweeping the central part of the archipelago. Meager messages received here stated that the crew was on board and apparently safe.

Whether other damage had been done was unknown, as the typhoon interrupted communication. The typhoon, which is described by meteorologists as being strong, passed the islands of Samar and Masabate, and is heading toward Mindoro.

Gov. Smith Will Start For New York Tonight

New Orleans, La., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Gov. Alfred E. Smith and his vacation party will leave Edgewater Gulf Hotel tomorrow night to return to New York. Friends were advised here tonight.

Plans call for a stop in Mobile Sunday to permit the governor to attend church. No other stops are planned, as the governor is eager to get back home for Thanksgiving. He declined an invitation to stop at Warm Springs, Ga., to visit Franklin D. Roosevelt, Governor-elect of New York.

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One of Santa's Assistants Agrees to Help Post Party

Dwarf Enters Camp of Explorers and Finds Royal Welcome; Aid to Saint Nicholas Speaks English and Knows of American Inventions and Toys.

By HOLLY BERRY

(Special Correspondent of The Post).

On the Edge of Santa Claus Land, Nov. 23.—For all you like back in Washington I have the best news today that I have been able to send since we started on our expedition to find Santa Claus for the readers of The Washington Post.

After a hard day of travel we had pitched camp in the snow in the midst of a herd of reindeer. Every one was sitting around the fire, awed by the Northern Lights, which glowed brilliantly across the sky above us, when suddenly there appeared before us a little old man, not more than 3 feet tall.

He had a wrinkled face and white, frost-covered whiskers, and it seemed to us that he had appeared from out of the snow. Even our Eskimos were astonished, for they had never seen a dwarf like this man before.

Mrs. Kleinschmidt broke the spell as we gazed at the dwarf. "Won't you come up to the fire?" she asked. The little man was not bashful and, to our amazement, he began to talk to us in English. He asked why we had taken the trouble to travel so far North and whether or not we were lost.

Again Mrs. Kleinschmidt took the lead, explaining that our mission was to find Santa, show him the letters of the children from Washington and take pictures of his home and the customs of the people living there.

Our visitor seemed to think the idea was absurd. He shook his head and we began to fear he thought we were imposters. The captain got out his camera to take a picture of our visitor. "Oh, that is a dandy camera!" exclaimed the dwarf.

"Do you know what a camera is?" asked Mrs. Kleinschmidt. "Certainly," replied the dwarf. "I make hundreds of them each year for children."

Then you are one of Santa's assistants?" we eagerly asked. "Yes," said the visitor. "So we immediately implored him to arrange with Santa for us to take pictures of his home."

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THANKSGIVING DAY SERVICES PLANNED

Protestant Churches to Hold Special Meetings on Holiday, Under President's Lead.

TOPIC ALSO TOMORROW

All the churches of the Capital will observe Thanksgiving Day with special services Thursday, but many of the pastors will herald the great season in their sermons tomorrow morning.

The Rev. Jason Noble Pierce, pastor of the President's church, the First Congregational, will lead the other ministers of the Protestant churches in anticipating the event. He will discuss "God's Thanksgiving."

Dr. Pierce will preach also at the Thanksgiving Day service which will begin at 11 o'clock Thursday. The vestal choir, under the direction of Ruby Smith Stahl, will sing the celebration will be brought to a close that evening with a program of motion pictures in the auditorium of the church.

The Rev. John Compton Ball's Thanksgiving sermon tomorrow morning, before the congregation of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, will be entitled "The Coming of Christ." The Phil Gamma Chapter, a Bible class of young men, will decorate the pulpit to accord with the season of the year.

Sunrise Service Planned.
On Thanksgiving morning, the congregation will hold a sunrise praise service under auspices of the five societies of young people. Curtis Wood, president of the senior Y. Y. U. will read President Coolidge's proclamation. On this occasion, Dr. Ball will speak on "The Heart of Thanksgiving."

The Thanksgiving spirit will descend on the congregation of the Fifteenth Street Baptist Church tomorrow morning when it celebrates the fifth anniversary of the dedication of the new church building and the first anniversary of the Rev. Harry M. Wilson's tenure in the pastorate of the church. Dr. Wilson came to Washington a year ago from St. Louis, Mo.

The Rev. Edward O. Clark, pastor of the Chevy Chase Baptist Church, has announced the topic for his Thanksgiving message tomorrow morning will be "The Glow of Gratitude." During the service a Thanksgiving offering will be received for missions of the denomination.

The Young People's Union of the church will celebrate Thanksgiving Day Wednesday evening. Kenneth B. Forbes, president of the union, will lead the service. The congregation of the church is planning to celebrate the fifth anniversary of its organization early in December, it was announced.

Topics at Fifth Baptist.
The Rev. John E. Briggs, pastor of the Fifth Baptist Church, will devote both his sermons tomorrow to Thanksgiving subjects. The morning sermon will be on "Why We Thank," and the sermon in the evening on "What Lack I Yet?"

"The Motive of Gratitude" is the topic the Rev. William E. La Rue, pastor of the Takoma Park Baptist Church, has announced for his sermon tomorrow morning. The Rev. Homer J. Connelley will speak at the church Thanksgiving Day. The choir will render special music on that occasion.

The Rev. Frederic W. Perkins, pastor of the First Universalist Church, will explain "Getting the Thankful Habit" at the service. The Rev. J. S. Sizoo will deliver a sermon prepared for the celebration. It will be a modern interpretation of "Pilgrim's Progress." The Rev. J. S. Sizoo will deliver a sermon prepared for the celebration. It will be a modern interpretation of "Pilgrim's Progress."

Dr. Sizoo's Evening Topic.
Dr. Sizoo will continue his Sunday evening "Studies in Religion" at the night service tomorrow. The congregation will hold Thanksgiving Day services at 11 o'clock Thursday. Dr. Sizoo will speak then on "When Thou Makest a Feast."

All Soul's Unitarian Church will hold a joint celebration on Thanksgiving Day with several of the neighboring churches. The service will be held at All Soul's, with the Rev. Harvey Baker Smith, pastor of the Columbia Heights Christian Church, and president of the Washington Federation of Churches, as the speaker.

Tomorrow morning the Rev. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, pastor of All Soul's, will deliver a sermon on "The Thanksgiving Spirit."

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1410 Columbia Road N.W.
11 A.M.—Sermon, "CAN WE COMMUNICATE WITH OUR DEAD?"
5 P.M.—Psychology Life Talk, "THE NORMAL PERSONALITY AND PERSONAL HAPPINESS," Dr. Katherine A. Norris.
7 P.M.—Motion Picture, "Change."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.
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WEDNESDAY EVENING MEETINGS 8 O'CLOCK

Thanksgiving Service, 11 A. M.
Subject:
"Thanksgiving"

READING ROOMS.
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SECOND CHURCH, 11th and G Sts. N.W. Hours: 1:30 to 5:30 week days; closed Sundays and holidays.
THIRD CHURCH, Colorado Bldg. 14th and G Sts. N.W. Hours: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.
FOURTH CHURCH, 1313 14th St. N.W. Hours: 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Sundays and holidays, 2:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Capital Church Membership Gains 74,458 in 10 Years

Commerce Department Reports Total of 238,871 in 68 Denominations in 1926, With 399 Organizations in 326 Buildings, Valued at \$32,351,870.

Church membership in the District of Columbia jumped from 184,413 in 1916 to 238,871 in 1926, according to statistics made public yesterday by the Department of Commerce. The increase was 28.8%.

As compared with 55 religious bodies or denominations, with 348 organizations in 1916, the report said, there were 68 denominations, with 399 organizations, or churches, in the District in 1926.

"As the term 'members' has a variety of uses," the report explained, "each church was requested to report the number of members according to definition of membership in this church organization." The value of church buildings in the District more than doubled during the decade from 1916 to 1926. In the former year \$10,326,381 were valued at \$32,351,870.

In 1916, there were 88,661 women members of Washington churches, as compared with 58,715 men, the remainder not reporting. In 1926 women membership had increased to 126,317 and membership among men to 86,117, the remainder failing to report.

Increases were also noted by the Department of Commerce during the period from 1916 to 1926 in church membership in Maryland. In 1916 there were 74 denominations with 2,936 churches, which had 602,587 members. The figures for 1926 were 83 denominations, with 2,957 churches and 758,048 members. Buildings were valued at \$65,776,138 in 1926, as compared with \$20,162,381 in 1916.

Presbyterian Church there, will preach. The community choir, composed of the choirs of the various churches of Hyattsville, will provide music.

"Hiding in God" and "Here and There" are the topics the Rev. Earl Willey, pastor of Vermont Avenue Christian Church, has announced for his sermons tomorrow. He will preach a special sermon Thanksgiving Day, while W. E. Braithwaite, director of the church, has arranged a musical program for the occasion.

Dry Leader to Speak.
The Rev. Clarence True Wilson, secretary of the Board of Temperance of the Methodist Episcopal Church, will preach at the Mount Vernon Place M. E. Church tomorrow in the absence of the pastor, the Rev. W. A. Lambeth. Dr. Wilson's topics will be "Is the Soul of Man Immortal?" and "How Prohibition Now May Be Made Effective."

Dr. Lambeth was called to Thomasville, N. C., last Wednesday by the illness of his father, Col. Frank S. Lambeth, who died that night. Funeral services will be held today at Thomasville, it was announced at the church here.

The Rev. J. H. Balthus, presiding elder of the Washington District, will conduct the Thanksgiving Day services at the church Thursday at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Haskell R. Deal will preach on "Giving Thanks" the service of the Junior congregation tomorrow.

The Rev. Moses R. Lovell, pastor of the Mount Pleasant Congregational Church, will begin tomorrow morning a series of sermons dealing with various phases of modern life. The subject of the sermon will be "Christianity and Spirituality—Can We Communicate With Our Dead?"

Psychoanalyst to Speak.
Katharine A. Norris, psychoanalyst, will speak at an afternoon meeting tomorrow in the church on "The Normal Personality and Personal Happiness." This is one of a series of psychology talks.

The revival services which were commenced several days ago at the Ninth Street Christian Church are still holding forth. Dr. Virgil W. Wallace, the evangelist during the revival services, will speak tomorrow on "Twelve and Five Thousand" and "Behold Thy Mother." Mrs. Wallace is soloist.

The union of the churches of the Northeast Protestant Churches will be held this year at the Douglas Memorial Methodist Church. Dr. Wallace will deliver the sermon.

The Rev. Harold E. Beatty will speak tomorrow morning on "The Lamp of Life" before the congregation of the Georgetown Lutheran Church. The last of the four meetings of the Bible conference will be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Arthur P. Black and Dr. A. C. Christie are scheduled to speak.

Pilgrims Church Meeting.
The congregation of the Church of the Pilgrims will worship tomorrow morning in the Mayflower Hotel. The Rev. Andrew Reid Bird will preach on "Leaves That Do Not Withers." On Thanksgiving Day the congregation will hold services in its newly completed Sunday School building at Twenty-second and M Sts. N.W.

The Methodist Episcopal Church South, of Hyattsville, Md., will hold special services Thursday morning at 10 o'clock and has invited all the residents of Hyattsville to attend. The Rev. Robert Evans, president of the church, is the speaker.

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2:30 p. m.—"The Ark As a Type." 7:30 p. m.—The testimony of two young ladies miraculously delivered from demon possession.
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5 P. M.—"HOW PROHIBITION PERSONAL HAPPINESS MADE EFFECTIVE." DR. WILSON.
11 A. M. JUNIOR CONGREGATION (for Sunday School and Junior League)—"GIVING THANKS."—THE REV. HASKELL R. DEAL, Junior Preacher.
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11—Kindergarten and Jr. Work
11—Morning worship
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship in the new Sunday School Building, 1516 22d St. N.W. "The Glory of the Fall of Man."
Thanksgiving, 11 a. m.—Service in the new Sunday School Building.

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SERMON BY BISHOP THANKSGIVING DAY

Right Rev. J. E. Freeman Will Preach in Cathedral at 11 o'clock Service.

EPISCOPAL RITES SLATED

The Cathedral at Mount St. Alban's will lead all the Episcopal churches in celebrating the Thanksgiving season. Four services are scheduled for Thanksgiving Day.

The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Bishop of Washington, will deliver the sermon at the principal service, which will be held at 11 o'clock. He will be assisted by the Very Rev. G. C. F. Brant, dean of the cathedral.

The first service on Thanksgiving Day will be held at 5:30 o'clock in the morning, with the Rev. W. L. DeVries, chancellor of the cathedral, presiding. Two hours later Dean Brant will conduct another service.

The celebration will close following a prayer service at 4:30 o'clock, which will be led by the Rev. Raymond L. Wolcott, canon of the cathedral.

Bishop Freeman will conduct the people's evensong service tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. This will be broadcast on the radio.

The Rev. Herbert Scott Smith will read the pastoral letter of the House of Bishops at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at St. Margaret's Episcopal Church. Holy Communion will be celebrated on 7:30 o'clock.

The Rev. C. Ernest Smith will tell of "The Four Dream Castles That Men Build" in his sermon tomorrow at St. Thomas Episcopal Church. There will be no sermon at the night service, but a full musical program instead.

The Rev. Z. B. Phillips, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, will resume his special series of sermons on the "Thirty-nine Articles of Religion" at the night service tomorrow. On Thanksgiving Day he will deliver a sermon appropriate to the harvest festival.

Transfiguration Services.
The services tomorrow of the Church of the Transfiguration will begin at 7:30 o'clock. At 11 o'clock there will be morning prayer and a sermon by the pastor. Two services will be held on Thanksgiving Day. The annual harvest of the church will be open for two days, December 4.

The Rev. Florian Vurpillot will preach on "Our Lord's Vision of a Manager" before the French congregation, which will meet in St. John's Episcopal Church at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

The Rev. L. B. Franck will conduct the services at his church, the Emmanuel Episcopal, tomorrow, having returned from a ten-day mission in southwestern Virginia.

The Rev. Clarence Prentiss Parker, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, Bethesda, Md., will conduct both services tomorrow morning. On Thanksgiving Day he will preach a special sermon for the celebration which his congregation has planned. St. Andrew's Day will be observed Friday by a celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

The ad-takers of this newspaper are invited to submit their classified advertisements for your classified ads. They are waiting for you to call Main 4205.

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Intersection of Fifteenth and Sixteenth Sts. N.W.
Rev. JAMES H. TAYLOR, D. D., Pastor
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School
10:00 a. m.—Prayer by Rev. Taylor.
5:00 p. m.—Westminster League.
7:00 p. m.—C. E. Society.
8:00 p. m.—Sermon by Dr. Taylor.
11:00 a. m.—Thanksgiving—Thanksgiving
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All Souls' Church
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Minister,
ULYSSES G. B. PIERCE, D.D.
9:45 A. M.—All Souls' Church School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
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CHARLES TROWBRIDGE TITTMARK, bass.
LEWIS ATWATER, organ.
7:30 P. M.—Motion Picture Hour.
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MATTHEWS TO TALK AT HOWARD SERVICE

Elmes to Preach on Genesis at People's Congregational Church Tomorrow.

BAPTISTS TO CELEBRATE

Prof. Joseph B. Matthews, of the Howard University School of Religion, will speak at the university's religious services tomorrow night.

The Rev. A. F. Elmes will preach the fifth sermon in his series on the Book of Genesis at the service tomorrow morning of the People's Congregational Church. The subject will be "The Building of a Man."

"Making Hard Times Good" will be subject of the Rev. J. Milton Waldron's discourse at the Sunday morning service of the Shiloh Baptist Institutional Church. He will speak on "Some Things the Holy Spirit Does for the Disbeliever" at the night service.

The Rev. William D. Jarvis will preach at the New Bethel Baptist Church tomorrow morning on "Old Disciples of Christ."

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THOMAS E. BOORDE, Pastor
11 A. M., "Causes for Thanksgiving."
8 P. M., "To Whom Shall We Give Thanks."
7 P. M., R. Y. P. U. Services.

CATHOLIC.
St. Mary's Church
5th St. N.W. bet. G & H Sts.
SUNDAY MASS
Low Masses at 7:15 and 8:15
High Mass at 9:15.
Last Low Mass at 11:30.
Benediction After 8 o'clock Mass

St. Patrick's Church
10th St. bet. F and G Sts. N.W.
THANKSGIVING DAY
November 29
Pan-American Mass, 10 A.M.
Presiding: REVEREND PIETRO P. MASON-RIONDI, D.D., the Vicar Apostolic.
Celebrant: REVEREND MICHAEL J. HART, D.D., the Archbishop of Baltimore.
Preacher: REVEREND MONSIGNOR C. F. THOMAS.

St. Agnes' Church
14th Street Northwest
(Between 10th and 11th Sts.)
Sunday Services, 1 and 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.
Kvenson and Intercessions, Friday 8 p. m.

St. John's Church
Lafayette Square
SERVICES:
11 A. M. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
8 P. M. Evensong and Sermon.
Dr. Johnston Will Preach.

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FRENCH SERVICES
Dimanches a 4 heures et vendredis a 4:45 par M. le Pasteur, F. VURPILLOT

St. Margaret's
Connecticut Ave. and Bancroft Pl.
REV. HERBERT SCOTT SMITH, D. D., Rector.
7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m.—Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.—Morning Prayer and the Bishop's Pastoral Letter.
4:30 p. m.—Evensong with Sermon by the Rector.
6:00 p. m.—Youth Peoples Society.
THANKSGIVING DAY
Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.
Morning Prayer and Sermon, 11 a. m.
Friday, St. Andrew's Day, 11 a. m.

Washington Cathedral
Wis. Ave. N.W. Near Woodley Road
Holy Communion, 7:30 A.M.
Morning Prayer and Litany, 10 A.M.
Holy Communion and Sermon.
Preacher, the Dean, 11 A.M.
People's Evensong and Sermon.
Preacher, the Bishop of Washington, 4 P.M.
Take Wisconsin Ave. Cars or Woodley Road Bus Line.

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HUNGARIAN LEADERS DECLARE OTTO KING

Legitimist Proclamation Made
in Face of Warning by
Premier Bethlen.

ALBRECHT GROUP ACTIVE

Budapest, Hungary, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Agitation to place a king on the vacant throne of Hungary has been stimulated rather than quieted by a warning speech of Count Stephen Bethlen, premier, last night, that such propaganda endangered international relations and interfered with more important tasks facing the government.

The Legitimist party, led by the venerable statesman, Count Apponyi, today proclaimed that since November 30 the Archduke Otto, son of Empress Zita, has been King of Hungary. The party declares that under the inalienable rule of the ancient Hapsburg dynasty, the elder living male descendant of the dead emperor becomes king automatically when he becomes 16 years of age. The party therefore has sent instructions to all Legitimist centers to exhibit the photograph of Otto as King of Hungary under the title of Otto II.

Bethlen Warns of Coup.
The Legitimists insist that Otto at any time may assert his right to the throne. To prevent a possible enthronement by coup d'etat, Count Bethlen sent a letter to Count Apponyi warning him as leader of the Legitimists that the government would take punitive measures under the constitution against those who persisted in a campaign to gain the throne for Otto. Bethlen is known to favor the claims of the Archduke Albrecht.

The Legitimists were angered when they learned today that the premier at a banquet last night had spoken strongly against any effort to award the throne to Otto. Baron Kray, vice president of the Legitimist party, said today that its followers would continue to campaign in favor of Otto by all legal means.

Legitimist leaders had issued a thousand invitations for a gala banquet the other night in honor of the sixteenth birthday of Otto. On that occasion Count Apponyi constantly referred to the boy as "our king" and each guest received a napkin embroidered with the royal coat of arms of Hungary with the inscription "King Otto II" beneath.

People Seem Divided.

The Hungarian people appear to be divided into at least four groups. One wants Otto, another Albrecht, a third favors the selection of a foreign prince such as a younger son of the King of England, while the fourth consists of extremists who would like to abolish the monarchical form of government altogether. There are even those who say that Count Bethlen himself, like Zogu in Albania, and Riza Khan in Persia, seeks the kingly crown for himself, but this is not generally accepted.

The throne of Hungary has been vacant since the abdication in 1919 of the late King Charles. Admiral Nicholas Horthy has served as regent of the kingdom since his election on March 1, 1920. Between that date and the overthrow of King Charles there were short-lived and hectic republican and Communist governments.

IMPROVEMENT NOTED IN KING'S CONDITION

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pneumonia, physicians pointed out. The "mischief" was interpreted as a troublesome congestion such as was reported early today, at which time the king had a temperature of 101 degrees. At no time, however, did he appear to be losing strength, his physicians said.

It was recalled that one cause for his illness might have been the fact that the king stood bareheaded in a drizzling rain on Armistice Day during the services at the Cenotaph in Whitehall.

X-Ray Picture Made.

The sudden visit of Sir Stanley Hewatt, Lord Dawson of Penn and a noted bacteriologist, to the palace late last night was revealed today as an ordinary investigation of bacteriological conditions, such as is customary in all such cases. The physicians returned several times today, conferring with the Duke of York.

The king's physicians were satisfied with his majesty's condition late last night, it was understood unofficially. Lord Dawson was able to fulfill a private engagement and the king's suite was cheerful. An X-ray picture of the congested lung has been made.

The Daily Mail said tonight that the king's temperature had dropped to 100 degrees at 6 p. m.

The king was said to have been cheerful this evening and chatted with close friends. He expressed the hope that he soon would be shooting again. It was understood that his physicians had not told him his lung was affected.

Prince at Dodoma.

Nairobi, South Africa, Nov. 23 (U.P.).—Whole communities from throughout the countryside turned out to give the Prince of Wales an enthusiastic greeting when he arrived at Dodoma, center of the white settlement in the Tanganyika Highlands, dispatches received here today reported. A magnificent Tanganyika diamond was presented to the prince after the address of welcome. The prince plans to proceed to Rhodesia, via Lake Tanganyika, the dispatches said.

The prince shot a lion measuring 8 feet 8 inches while hunting in the Ufumi district Wednesday.

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REELECTED AS U. D. C. LEADER



Mrs. W. C. N. Merchant, of Chatham, Va., president general of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, who was reelected, and Mrs. Kent Ford, her page, as photographed at the national convention at Houston, Tex.

FERVENT PLEA WINS NEXT U. D. C. RALLY

Woman's Wish That Bulwark
of Solid South, Mississippi,
Be Chosen, Prevails.

NAMING OF BILOXI HAILED

Houston, Tex., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—A gentle-mannered woman from Tennessee raised her voice in the convention of the United Daughters of the Confederacy here today and with an impassioned plea for a "Democracy which sticks" won for Biloxi, Miss., the next convention of the organization.

Mrs. A. R. Howard made the motion that Mississippi's invitation be accepted and said: "As a former Mississippian I say let us accept Mississippi's invitation and learn to become a Solid South once more."

A cheer swept over the room and by almost unanimous vote the delegates honored with the next convention of the Confederacy's Daughters the State which recently demanded that Virginia send back to Democratic soil the bodies of Jackson, Lee and other Southern heroes.

During a business session today the Daughters found that the records of six Confederate soldiers needed for a historical work being compiled by Yale University could not be uncovered. A little gray-haired woman with a charming accent pointed out that the records might have been lost when Northern troops "took them as souvenirs and burned Southern courthouses."

The soldiers' record question came up after a talk by Dr. Matthew Andrews, of Yale University, who explained historical work being done at the university and said that its purpose was to eradicate sectionalism.

Announcement of gift to the Yale University Press to perpetuate the memory of Philip Benjamin's services in the field of government was made by Dr. Andrews. He said the gift was from a New York lawyer who in 1925 established a fund for the Yale University Law School in memory of the Confederate secretary of state, who was graduated from Yale in 1829.

Election Investigation Opens in Texas Monday

New York, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Representative Loring M. Black, Democrat, of New York, announced today that the special house committee appointed to investigate campaign expenditures will convene in McAllen, Tex., next Monday.

Among the charges to be investigated, he said, were allegations that Mexicans had been brought across the international boundary to vote in elections.

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MENDEZ COMPLETES JACKSONVILLE HOP

Colombian Flier Averages 120
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DELAYS START FOR CUBA

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Benjamin Mendez, Colombian flier, arrived here at 4 p. m. today, completing the first leg of his projected 4,000-mile flight from New York to Bogota, Colombia.

The Colombian flier made 120 miles an hour in flying from New York to Jacksonville and says he expected perfect weather all along the route. His motor functioned perfectly.

After refueling his plane and checking over the motor, Mendez announced tonight he would not resume his journey to Bogota until Sunday. On landing Mendez had said he would take off at 7:35 this morning for Jacksonville on the first leg of a 4,000-mile flight to Bogota.

"I am too tired," he said, in announcing his change in plans, "I have to go over the motor some more."

Rockaway Naval Air Station, N. Y., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Lieut. Benjamin Mendez, chief pilot of Colombia's air force, took off at 7:35 this morning for Jacksonville on the first leg of a 4,000-mile flight to Bogota.

A small group of Colombians, Navy officers and Army officers and their wives from Mitchell Field, were present when Mendez drove his big Curtiss seaplane across the water and into the air.

The plane, christened the Ricasurte, after the famous Colombian patriot, was loaded with 275 gallons of gasoline. With Mendez and his mechanic was John Todhunter, an American.

From Jacksonville Mendez's next hop will take him 600 miles to Havana. Other stops and their distances apart are Puerto Barrios, Guatemala, 700 miles; Colon, Panama, 1,000 miles, and then the final 1,000-mile flight to Bogota.

The wives of the Mitchell Field Army officers kissed Mendez good-by. They had known him for some time as a student at Army School at Mitchell Field.

Homes of Coal By-product, Permanently Tinted, Seen

World Conference on Bituminous Industry Is Told of
Possibility by Dr. Gustav Egloff and Dr. J. C.
Morrell, of Chicago.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Homes built of coal by-products and permanently tinted in any color of the rainbow, power from the sea, propulsion of automobiles by coal gas, long-distance transmission of coke oven gas in Germany and piping of natural gas from the Gulf to the Great Lakes in the United States were some of the chemical-mechanical wonders unveiled today at the second international conference on bituminous coal at Carnegie Institute of Technology. The world congress ends tomorrow.

"There is another use for coal, other than coal by-products, and that is building of homes," declared Dr. Gustav Egloff and Dr. J. C. Morrell, Universal Oil Products Co., Chicago, in a joint paper.

"When I walk down a street and see block after block of buildings, dull brown or gray color, the thought comes to me 'Why can't we build polychromatic homes?' and the answer comes immediately, 'We can.'" Dr. Egloff continued.

"The material is in commercial use. Chemically it is called hexatetramethy-

**WOMAN POINTS OUT
MAN AS AX SLAYER**

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will attempt to identify him as the slayer of J. C. Blackman early Sunday morning, first of the victims.

Besides Blackman, police attributed the killing of Mrs. Waldo Resso and her sister, Creta Brown, and the serious wounding of Harold Strubling to the same man.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Jake Bird, negro, arrested in Omaha as a suspect in connection with the slaying of three persons and for attacks on two others, denied being the ax wielder who has spread terror in Omaha and eastern Nebraska when questioned in the Nebraska Penitentiary this afternoon.

Salt Lake City, Nov. 23 (U.P.).—Jake Bird, negro accused of being the Omaha ax slayer, has a criminal record in California and Utah.

Pardon board records contained a letter from District Attorney Evans, of Ogden, stating that Bird had been arrested in Berkeley and Los Angeles, on charges of assault, highway robbery and impersonating an officer.

The young negro was released from the State Penitentiary here January 15, 1927, after serving two years and five months.

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Western Rail Men Accept Wage Offer

Increase of 6½ Per Cent, as
Urged by Federal Body,
Retroactive to May.

Chicago, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Conductors and trainmen of Western railways today accepted a 6½ per cent wage increase, retroactive to May 1, 1928, when their former agreement with the railways expired.

Announcement of the agreement was made by J. W. Higgins, chairman of the conference committee of managers of Western railways, at the close of a week of secret conferences with representatives of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors.

The increase is that approved by the Federal Fact Finding Commission, which recommended that the employees be given a 6½ per cent increase with no change in the working rules, or a 7½ per cent raise in case of a change.

Governor Declines Tip For Barber Shop Visit

Santa Fe, N. Mex., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Just as Gov. Dick Dillon of New Mexico started to take his place in a chair in a crowded barber shop at Vaughn a train rolled in. From it rushed a passenger with an overnight growth of beard.

He came puffing up to the chair in which the governor had just seated himself. "If you are not a hurry, brother, will you let me have your turn?" "Go ahead," the governor replied.

"Here, go buy yourself a cigar," said the stranger, handing the governor a quarter.

The executive declined the offer with thanks.

3 Injured in \$50,000 Acetylene Gas Blast

Newcastle, Pa., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Three persons were injured and much property was damaged here this afternoon when an acetylene tank, being used by Pennsylvania Railroad workers, blew up near the Pennsylvania engine works.

Those hurt will recover, doctors said. Damage was estimated at \$50,000. Windows in houses within a radius of almost a mile from the scene were shattered.

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State Roused When Jury Only
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Election Strife.

STATE SENATOR NAMED

Chicago, Nov. 23 (A.P.).—Fifteen of the sixteen henchmen of Morris Eller, self-styled "boss" of the "Bloody Twenty-third" ward, were convicted today by a criminal court jury on charges of conspiracy growing out of the orgy of lawlessness in the ward last primary day.

The conviction was a disappointment to both the prosecution and the defense. The state had asked that all be sent to prison and the defense had asked for acquittal.

The verdict, imposing fines instead of prison terms, was a compromise reached after a night of deliberation during which one juror was reported to have held out against prison terms. Joseph Genaro, the sixteenth defendant, was acquitted.

The fines imposed by the jury ranged from \$400 to \$1,250. Both Morris Eller, city collector, and his son, Justus Emanuel Eller, of the criminal court, were indicted with the others, but obtained a separate trial.

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As Boat Overturns

Parsons, Kans., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—R. H. Timmons, of Wichita, assistant to the vice president of the Kansas Gas & Electric Co.; Oren Ward, Montana, Kans. farmer, and R. D. Menefee, Topeka, Kans., veterinary surgeon, drowned in a lake near here today when the boat from which they were fishing overturned.

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EVENTS OF INTEREST IN SOCIETY CIRCLES OF CAPITAL

The President and Mrs. Coolidge have issued invitations to a reception at the White House Thursday evening, December 6, at 8 o'clock.

The British Ambassador and Lady Isabella Howard will entertain at dinner on December 12 in honor of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid.

The Ambassador of Cuba and Senora de Ferrara entertained at dinner last evening, when their guests were the Minister of Panama and Senora de Alfaro, the Counselor of the Czechoslovak Legation and Mme. Lips, the First Counselor of the Peruvian Embassy and Senora de Gonzales-Prada, the Commercial Counselor of the Swedish Legation and Mme. Weidel, Miss Laura Otis, Miss Celeste Crosby, Mr. Arthur Bradley Campbell, the First Secretary of the Cuban Embassy and Senora de Baron, and the Second Secretary of the Embassy, Dr. Gonzalo Quel.

The Belgian Ambassador and Princess de Ligne will go to New York today to remain until Wednesday.

The Hungarian Minister, Count Laszlo Szecsenyi, is expected in Washington, December 1, after passing the summer in Europe.

The Minister of the Netherlands, Mr. J. H. van Royen, returned to Washington last evening after passing several days in New York.

The newly appointed Minister from Chile to Central America and Senora de Agado were the guests in whose honor Representative and Mrs. Sol Bloom entertained at dinner last evening. The guests were the Secretary to the President and Mrs. Everett Sanders, the Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Nelson Johnson; Mr. and Mrs. Stokely Morgan, the Military Attaché of the Spanish Embassy, Maj. Victoriano Casajus; Miss Evelyn Gordon and Miss Vera Bloom.

The Secretary of Labor, Mr. James J. Davis, will return to Washington tomorrow.

Senator and Mrs. William E. Borah have as their guests for several days Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Anderson and Miss Katherine Young, of Boise, Idaho.

Senator David I. Walsh has arrived in Washington and is at the Carlton.

Senator Robert M. La Follette will not return to Washington until the first week in December.

Gen. and Mrs. Sumnerall returned to Capital today.

The Chief of Staff and Mrs. Charles P. Sumnerall will return today from Philadelphia, where they were the guests of honor at a dinner and reception given last evening by the faculty and student officers of the Quaker School and their wives.

Maj. Gen. Sumnerall will leave later today for an inspection trip in the Middle West, returning the middle of next week.

The Chief of Naval Operations, Admiral Charles F. Hughes, and Mrs. Hughes, will motor this morning to Annapolis, Md., where they will join the Superintendent of the Naval Academy, Rear Admiral Samuel S. Robinson, and Mrs. Robinson, and go to Philadelphia to attend the Navy-Princeton football game. They will return tomorrow.

Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Henry G. Sharpe are at the Martinique during their stay in Washington.

The Undersecretary of State and Mrs. Reuben Clark were the guests in whose honor Mrs. Karl von Lewinski entertained at dinner last evening. A musicale followed the dinner. The artists of the evening were the Baroness Ollie Kap-Herr, soloist, and Mr. Smith-Gregor, composer.

The announcement has been made of the marriage of Baroness Irina Ungern-Sternberg to Maj. Albert J. Myer yesterday morning. The bride is a sister of the former Secretary of the Russian Embassy, Baron Renard Ungern-Sternberg. Maj. and Mrs. Myer will live at 1721 H street after a short wedding trip.

Mrs. Emory Sands and Mrs. Claude Mayo will entertain at a small dance December 21 in honor of Miss Charlotte Mayo, daughter of Commander and Mrs. Mayo, and Mr. Frederic Sands, son of Mrs. Sands.

The commanding officer of the Marine Barracks and Mrs. Theodore E. Backstrom entertained at a buffet supper last evening preceding the first of the series of dances given by the officers of the Marine Barracks. The dance was given in the band hall of the barracks.

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The marriage of Miss Ingrid Westesson, daughter of Mrs. Josef Westesson, and Mr. Laurence Gouverneur Hoes, son of Mrs. Rose C. Gouverneur Hoes, will take place this evening at 8 o'clock at the Willard.

Dr. and Mrs. Macpherson Crichton will entertain at dinner this evening at the Chevy Chase Club for Mr. and Mrs. Samuel McPetridge, of Ventnor, N. J.

Miss Jane Crosby, daughter of Maj. Gen. and Mrs. Herbert B. Crosby, will go to New York Friday evening to attend the Sanford-West Point football game Saturday.

Mrs. Henry T. Oxnard has returned from Paris and is at her country home at Upperville, Va.

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Capt. Osterhaus, another daughter of Mrs. Downing, also will be here for the holidays. Capt. Osterhaus is at present at sea.

Judge and Mrs. G. W. Martin, of Brooklyn, accompanied by Mrs. E. Young and Miss Maud Cahill, are passing the week-end at the Mayflower.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Calhoun entertained at luncheon yesterday at 8 o'clock, in honor of Mr. Arthur Bradley Campbell, of London.

Mr. and Mrs. Calhoun will motor to Charlottesville today to pass the week-end and will return to Washington Monday.

Miss Fannie Dial and Miss Dorothy Dial, daughters of former Senator and Mrs. Nathaniel B. Dial have gone to Richmond, where they attended the debutante ball last evening of Miss Marjorie Belvin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Belvin. They will return to Washington tomorrow.

Mr. Lawson Treadwell has taken an apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel for the winter and will be joined here December 1 by Mrs. Treadwell and their daughter, Miss Annie Overton Treadwell and Miss Margaret Treadwell. Miss Margaret Treadwell will be married December 29 to Mr. Charles Day, of New York. The wedding will take place at 4 o'clock in the Bethlehem Chapel of the Cathedral and a reception will follow at the Mayflower.

Miss Elizabeth McNamara is visiting her brother, Lieut. Julius A. McNamara, who is passing the winter at the Fairfax Hotel.

Miss Helena M. O'Connell has returned to the Wardman Park Hotel after visiting Philadelphia and Stratford, Pa.

The Franco-Belgian Festival of Music to be given at the Mayflower under patronage of the Ambassador of Belgium and her husband, the Prince de Ligne, will be dedicated to the memory of three great composers, Cesar Franck, Claude Debussy and Camille Saint-Saens. Miss Eleanore McParlin Davis will present her daughter, Miss Catherine McParlin Davis, to society at a ball at the Mayflower on December 18. Miss Davis is a granddaughter of Brig. Gen. Thomas A. McParlin.

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Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Harris have taken an apartment at the Wardman Park Hotel for the winter.

Mrs. Davis B. Willis, who has passed a week in Asheville, N. C., has rejoined Maj. Willis at their home, 2359 Ashmead place.

Mrs. Paul L. Pierce, of Pensacola, Fla., and Mrs. A. Hooper, of Selma, Ala., who have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Pierce, have returned to their homes.

Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Pierce and their son, Claude C. Pierce, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Turner, Jr., and their daughter, Miss L. Turner, and Miss Clara Smith have motored to Philadelphia to attend the Navy-Princeton game.

Miss Elizabeth McNamara is visiting her brother, Lieut. Julius A. McNamara, who is passing the winter at the Fairfax Hotel.

Miss Helena M. O'Connell has returned to the Wardman Park Hotel after visiting Philadelphia and Stratford, Pa.

The Franco-Belgian Festival of Music to be given at the Mayflower under patronage of the Ambassador of Belgium and her husband, the Prince de Ligne, will be dedicated to the memory of three great composers, Cesar Franck, Claude Debussy and Camille Saint-Saens. Miss Eleanore McParlin Davis will present her daughter, Miss Catherine McParlin Davis, to society at a ball at the Mayflower on December 18. Miss Davis is a granddaughter of Brig. Gen. Thomas A. McParlin.

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LECTURER AND AUTHOR

Louisville, Ky., Nov. 23 (A.P.).—The Rev. E. Y. Mullins, outstanding Baptist leader, died at his home here today, death ending a career that carried the son of a Texas preacher from printer's devil to a position of leadership and authority in national and international denominational affairs.

Death, coming just at noon today, with his wife and three sisters watching at the bedside, followed a stroke of paralysis on November 10, from which he was unable to rally. Dr. Mullins was nearly 60 years old and for the last 20 years had been president of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary here.

Campus Activities Suspended.
His death was a signal for cessation of activities on the seminary campus, where students will hold a memorial service tomorrow morning.

On Sunday the body will be taken to the Broadway Baptist Church, of which Dr. Mullins was long a member, to lie in state with an honor guard of students standing watch. Public funeral services will be held at the church Sunday afternoon with interment at the Cave Hill Cemetery. In the seminary lot the body will be laid to rest beside those of other presidents of the seminary of the Southern Baptist denomination.

The public funeral will follow a private service for members of the family at the Mullins home Sunday morning.

Dr. Sampey Temporary Head.

Dr. John R. Sampey, senior member of the seminary faculty, as chairman of the faculty will assume active administration of the school's affairs pending election by the board of trustees of a new president. Dr. Mullins, the trustees, about 100, are to hold their next regular meeting during the Southern Baptist convention at Memphis in May, and it is not thought likely that the position will be filled before that time.

As president of the Baptist World Alliance, Dr. Mullins had taken an active part in development of the work of his church in many foreign countries, particularly in Roumania, where he was instrumental in securing recognition of the denomination. For three years he presided over the Southern branch of the church as president of the Southern Baptist Convention. In addition he was well known as a lecturer and author on religious and theological subjects.

Chevy Chase Baptists
To Have New Pipe Organ

A two-manual or keyboard pipe organ is being built in St. Louis for the Chevy Chase Baptist Church. Upon completion the instrument will be assembled in an organ plant there, thoroughly tested and then disassembled again for shipping.

It will be a cosmopolitan organ. Ten foreign countries and twice that many States will be represented in the materials used in its construction. Iron used in the thousands of electro magnets was imported from Norway and Switzerland; from Germany came the leather many of the metals were brought across the Pacific from China, while mahogany was imported from South America.

Ministers Will Hear
Bishop J. E. Freeman

The Right Rev. James E. Freeman, Episcopal Bishop of Washington, will speak at the meeting Monday morning at 11 o'clock of the Washington Ministerial Union in the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Preceding the meeting, the executive committee will hold a short session with Dr. Samuel Judson Porter, of the First Baptist Church, presiding.

The Rev. William Earl La Rue, pastor of the Takoma Park Baptist Church, will act as secretary.

Men's Club Will Hold
Season's First Meeting

The Men's Club of St. Stephen and the Incarnation Episcopal Church will hold its first meeting of the season Tuesday night in the rectory at 1515 Newton street northwest.

Arthur C. Houghton, president of the club, will preside. Other officers of the club are Edward S. Dawson, vice president; Edwin A. Heilig, secretary; Otto T. Beall, treasurer; J. Evans Mayfield, James G. Traylor and William F. Bowen, members of the board of directors.

Volunteers of America
Seek Holiday Donations

The Volunteers of America, with headquarters at 1103 Pennsylvania avenue southeast, have issued a call for aid in providing Thanksgiving dinner and Christmas gifts to the poor children of the city.

Those who are inclined are urged to send presents or money to the headquarters of the association. The work is under direction of Capt. George L. Myers, and John E. Kimball.

Fraternity Delegates Chosen.

William W. Bride, corporation counsel of the District, president of Delta Chi Fraternity, and Dr. Thomas H. Healy, dean of Georgetown University foreign service school, will be delegates to the interfraternity conference, which is to be held in New York next week.

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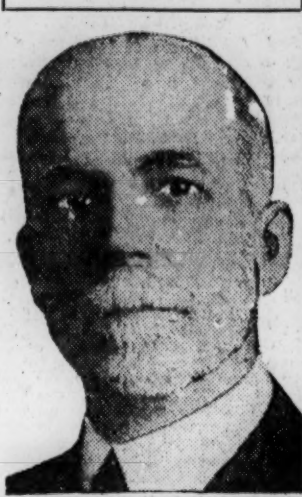
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Tomorrow.

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Dr. Ralph E. Dittendorfer, corresponding secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions of New York City, will speak at the services of the Douglas Memorial Church. Dr. Dittendorfer recently returned from Jerusalem, where he attended the sessions of the International Missionary Council on the Mount of Olives.

S. K. Hu, a Chinese business man of Foochow and former member of the Min River commission, will speak at the Sunday School of Foundry Methodist Episcopal Church at 9:30 o'clock and later at the morning service of the Wesley Methodist Episcopal Church.

The Rev. Cipriano Navarro, pastor of the student church in Lingueen, Philippine Islands, will preach tomorrow morning at the Brightwood Methodist Episcopal Church on "The Youth of the Philippines and Their Churches."

Prof. Yoshimune Abe, principal of Aoyama Gakuin Academy in Tokyo, will preach at Petworth Methodist Episcopal Church. Miss Georgiana Such, director of a medical clinic among the Mohammedan Kabyle women of North Africa, will speak at Washington Methodist Episcopal Church. Dr. Howard A. Musser, a former missionary to the outcaste peoples of North India, will speak at Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

MATHEWS TO TALK
AT HOWARD SERVICE

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Men and Dramas. Young Men and

Visions.
The Rev. R. W. Brooks' subject for his sermon tomorrow morning in the Lincoln Congregational Temple will be "God's Outlook Versus Man's."

"On the Door of the Sheep" and "I Was Blind, Now I See" are the subjects the Rev. George O. Bullock has announced for the services tomorrow of the Third Baptist Church.

The Second Baptist Church will conclude its celebration of its eightieth anniversary tomorrow and Monday. The Rev. J. L. S. Holloman will preach at the Sunday service on "The Tragic Trend in Modern Life."

All the colored churches will celebrate Thanksgiving with special services Thursday. The Fifteenth Street Presbyterian Church, however, will have a pre-Thanksgiving song service tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock.

The Tabor Presbyterian Church, the Lincoln Congregational, the Plymouth Congregational, the People's Congregational and the Fifteenth Street Presbyterian will hold joint services Thursday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Second and S streets northwest. The Rev. R. W. Brooks will speak.

Mullin Low Bidder for Sewer.

G. B. Mullin Co., Inc., was low bidder yesterday for construction of a storm sewer through Rock Creek at Sixteenth and Juniper streets northwest. The Mullin bid was \$10,175.07. Awards will be made later.

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KRAFT NUKRAFT—Another tasty cheese spread; healthy for the kiddies. Pkg. 23c

WYMAN BLUEBERRIES—Now you may enjoy blueberry pie at any season of the year; ripened Maine Blueberries. Tin 29c

B & M LIMA BEANS—Soaked California lima beans; a big value at this price. Tin 10c

KRAUT JUICE—Libby's Sauer Kraut Juice; drink it for its health value. Tin 15c

BEAN HOLE BEANS—Van Camp's beans with a taste similar to the old time taste of beans cooked in the ground. Tin 11c

SANITARY OATS—Large 55-ounce package of fine oat meal. Pkg. 19c

Special This Week End!

STAR Laundry SOAP 6 cakes for 25c

Special This Week End!

PINK SALMON Tin, 19c; 2 Tins, 35c

Special This Week End!

ENSIGN RAISINS High grade California raisins—just as fine as you can purchase. Try them this week at our special price. 2 pks. for 15c

Special This Week End!

SILVER Brand PEAS 3 tins for 29c

Three "SANICO" Meat Markets OPENED TODAY

All in Northwest 14th at Allison 13th at Shepherd 11th. Bet. Park Road and Monroe

Fancy California GRAPEFRUIT

These Grapefruit are just about as fine as you have seen this season. See them in our nearest store. 3 for 25c

10c 12 1/2c Western Boxed APPLES 3 Lbs. for 25c

Thanksgiving FRUIT CAKES!

With Thanksgiving less than a week off, many of you are, no doubt, thinking of FRUIT CAKES. We have made special preparation in both our Sanitary and Piggly Wiggly stores and have stocked the following varieties: Corby's Hostess Fruit Cake, Corby's Orchard Fruit Cake, National Biscuit Company Fruit Cake and Cook's Fruit Cake. These cakes are baked in a variety of sizes and we feel sure that you will find the size and kind of cake that you prefer.

Wood's Old-Time Mince Meat . . . 2-lb. Tin 59c

Old Homestead Bulk Mince Meat . . . Lb. 19c

R. and R. Plum Pudding . . . Tin 29c

Another New "SANITARY" Complete Food Store OPENED TODAY

Fredericksburg, Virginia

Fancy Florida ORANGES

Just a few sweet-flavored oranges from the orange groves of southern Florida. Per Dozen 40c 60c

Emperor GRAPES—from California 2 Lbs. for 19c

ROBERTS, SPRY AT 67, RETURNS TO THE STUDIO

"Watch out for smoke!" The interviewer was given that advice as the best way to locate Theodore Roberts amid the gloom of interior sets at the Metro-Goldwyn-Major studios.

The advice was not farfetched. The famous Roberts' cigar aroma is as easily identified as a perfume shop. Once, so the story goes, the "grand old man of the screen" had been offered a role at one of the studios where smoking was forbidden by the fire underwriters. A special dispensation had to be secured before Roberts would accept the role.

Whether true or not, the story seems reasonable. Roberts, who was working in John Gilbert's new starring picture, "The Masks of the Devil," now playing at Loew's Palace, was sitting in a high-backed chair awaiting the call of Director Victor Seastrom to step before the camera.

He was smoking, of course. "Why," asked the interviewer, "did you return to the screen?"

"I never wanted to retire in the first place, but I got sick and had to quit for a while. Now I'm nearly well again and I'm coming back."

"Besides," he added, "I wanted to buy a new yacht. I plan to live at the harbor and drive in to work every day."

Roberts was a sea captain at the age of 21. Now, just 67 years old, he still has his master's license and can navigate a ship as well as any one.

"Mr. Roberts," asked the interviewer, "how do you keep so young?"

"By doing precisely what I please," Roberts said. "Smoking just as many cigars as I can and keeping in the company of young people."

NOTED EXTRA GARNERS FULL DAY'S STIPEND

Charlie Chaplin worked as an extra in Norma Talmadge's latest picture, "The Woman Disputed," now playing at Loew's Palace. And the world's most famous screen comedian received the same pay of the other extras.

One day when Henry King and Sam Taylor were directing a scene in the story of love and war, several extras were instructed to stand in doorways and peer out at Miss Talmadge in the role of a girl of the streets, as she passed. King wanted a little man in a big coat for one of the close-ups—and none of the extras answered the requirements.

Chaplin, who happened to be visiting the Talmadge set at the United Artists studio that day, was jokingly asked by King if he wished to make a few extra dollars.

"Certainly!" replied Charlie. "Get me an overcoat and I'll do the scene with Norma."

Miss Talmadge was not told, and when the cameras followed her as she walked along the street, peering into the leering faces of various men, she received the shock of her life when she discovered one of them to be Charlie Chaplin.

At the end of the scene Mr. Chaplin said: "Where's my \$7.50?"

He got it.

WASHINGTON IS CREDITED WITH ONE MORE STAR

Medicine's loss is the screen's gain, in the case of Alan Hale.

For Hale, who has been prominently identified with motion pictures as actor, director and scenarist for the past ten years, had completed three years of a medical course at Pittsburgh before the fascination of the theatrical world caused him to abandon a career as a doctor for that of an actor.

Hale's most recent screen appearance is in support of Colleen Moore in "Oh Kay," an adaptation of the sparkling musical comedy, now showing at the Earle Theater.

In this picture, as in other recent productions, he has displayed ability as a comedian, despite the fact that he first gained fame in villainous characters. His heavy portrayal in "The Covered Wagon" is regarded as one of the most finished performances of the type the screen has known.

Hale was born in this city and lived in Newburgh, N. Y.; Philadelphia and Pittsburgh during his childhood. When he decided to leave medicine for drama he went to New York and studied for opera. He was quite successful in a brief stage career, but his voice was impaired by powder smoke during a presentation in concert roles, making an unusual hit in "Skyscraper."

For two years he was a director, and upon his return to the screen appeared in cameo roles, making an unusual hit in "Skyscraper."

FORMER LOCAL STOCK STAR A CROOK EXPERT

Irving Cummings, Fox film director, who is personally known to many Washingtonians, has written stories for the screen, has produced stories, has directed them and has acted in them.

He sold the idea to William Fox on the basis that he could, and would, make a "different" underworld picture. If you saw "Dressed to Kill" you know he did. He made it in defiance of the accepted conventions.

Cummings again defied convention by directing another crook story, usually a dangerous follow-up.

This time he produced "Romance of the Underworld," based on Paul Armstrong's stage success of a decade ago, brought up to date. Those in the know say he has surpassed "Dressed to Kill," which is a large order.

In "Romance of the Underworld" Mary Astor plays the leading feminine role with Ben Bard, Robert Elliott, Helen Lynch and Oscar Apfel in the cast. The film is now being shown at the Fox Theater.

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GOLF CLUBS IN HOLIDAY EVENTS

**Bannockburn, Manor
Announce Thanks-
giving Programs.**

THANKSGIVING Day golfing programs were announced yesterday by the Beaver Dam and Bannockburn Clubs. The Beaver Dam schedule is quite extensive, including competition for men and women at 9 holes. Men's money play, handicap allowance. There also will be a turkey tournament, a handicapped affair, with a turkey and cash prize. Women's contests are men and women will be staged at 9 o'clock. followed immediately by putting competition for men and women. The committee chairman is J. M. H. Morris, Jr.; William H. White, David G. Morris, G. E. James, Russell M. Brown and others.

At the Bannockburn Club there will be a ball sweepstakes, 18 holes.

Herbert Macey was last night presented with the championship trophy of the Manor Club at a stag dinner held at the clubhouse, with more than 200 members participating. Robert C. Hird, son of Commander H. B. Hird, U. S. N., was awarded the medal for low score in the qualifying round, while the winners and runners-up in the various flights were also the recipients of prizes.

At the conclusion of the presentation a program, arranged by Earl Carbaugh, was rendered by a number of screen and radio artists from New York. The entire affair was under the direction of C. M. Hester, chairman of the entertainment committee.

Owing to the fact that a cold north-west wind swept across the Indian Spring course yesterday afternoon, the annual golf tournament of the Baristers Club did not attract a large field. In addition, the players were so late in starting that only a few were able to complete the round. Consequently, there were no prize winners, although when the golfers gathered in the clubhouse all of them scored eagles on the nineteenth hole.

Hartfords Win Game In Boys' Club League

The Hartford won their first game in the Boys' Club Senior League last night when they defeated the Standards 28 to 22.

The shooting of Streets featured. The Celtics are leading the league with three victories and no defeats. The Standards and De Luxe have each won and lost 2 games. The Centennials have won 1 of 2 while the Hartford have won 1 of 2.

Hartford.	Q	P	P	Standards.	Q	P	P
Blaser, Jr.	0	0	0	Poly, Jr.	0	0	0
Blaser, Jr.	0	0	0	Wright, Jr.	0	0	0
Conrad.	0	0	0	0 Kilne, Jr.	0	0	0
Yonke.	0	0	0	0 Ferguson.	0	0	0
Dunn, Jr.	0	0	0	0 Smith.	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0 Cornell.	0	0	0
Cross, Jr.	0	0	0	0 Leslie.	0	0	0
Total.	10	0	0				

Referee—O. Mitchell.

Totals 9 4 23

With the
**Fair
Athletes**

GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY'S Hockey Team will play the Harrisonburg State Teachers College today at 2:30 o'clock on the Hillside. The Virginia Team comes here with a good record, while the George Washington Team has done well against local teams but has not fared so good against out-of-town schools. Last Saturday Swarthmore downed the Colonials 1-0. Next Tuesday, the George Washington will play the William and Mary Team at Williamsburg.

PLAYGROUND SEMIFINALS.
The semifinals of the Municipal Play-

round Department's interplayground basketball series will be played today at 10:30 o'clock on Plaza Playground. Chevy Chase, section 1, winner will play Iowa Avenue, champions of section 2, in the opening match, and New York Avenue, section 3 winners, will play Garfield, leaders in section 4, immediately after the first mentioned

The two winners of today's games will meet on dates to be announced in the near future in a three-game series for the city title. The lineups of the teams for today will be: Chevy Chase, Betty Hartman, Florence Grady, Katharine Crain, Vivian Essex, Mary Lee Watkins, Kathalinn McCauley; Iowa Avenue, Laverne Mills, Frances Tepitz, Katharine Dooms, Madeline Cash, Bessie Buchan, Fida Greenberg, Sally Aman, Eleanor Franklin; New York Avenue, Evelyn Lingeback, Catharin Connor, Ruth Bohannon, Marie Lingeback, Antoinette Connor, Elizabeth

GARFIELD: Dorothy Kelso, Loveye Adkins, Ione Hoffman, Marie Shorb, Zelda Madeoy, Elizabeth O'Rourke, Amaryalla Smith. Evelyn Sheridan will referee the Chevy Chase-Iowa Avenue match and "Jack" Whitting will handle the Garfield-New York Avenue tilt.

Park View School won the elementary school championship of the Columbia

heights championship of the Columbia Heights Division yesterday when it defeated Morgan School, 25 to 5. Park View qualified for the finals by winning the championship in section one and Morgan did likewise in section two. The winners will receive a cup to keep for a one-year period from the playground department.

park view lined up as follows: Ada Rubin, right forward; Mary Hoy, left forward; Elsie Phillips, center; Loraine Thompson, side center; Dorothy Hall, right guard; Mildred Rhodes, left guard. Morgan took the field as follows: Margaret Graham, right forward; Selma Levine, left forward; Jean Taylor, center; Alice Hendrix, side center; Annie Kiowans, right guard; Katharine Belvaggio, left guard.

HOCKEY GAME TODAY.

Teams are scheduled to meet today at 3:30 o'clock on the eclipse. Much rivalry exists between these squads and since both have about the same caliber of players a good match should result.

TWO PECK QUINTETS WIN

Two easy victories were won by Peck Memorial Church Basketball Teams last night, the unlimited quintet defeating the National Publishing Co., 55 to 8, and the juniors beating the Chevy Chase juniors, 50 to 2.

BOWLING SCORES

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THE GUMPS



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MINUTE MOVIES

PHONY PHAROAH
PRODUCED BY ED WHEELAN
PART SIX

THE YOUNG PHAROAH'S AIR APPEAL TO HIS PEOPLE WAS HEARD FAR AND WIDE BY THE EGYPTIANS OVER ONE OF THE GREATEST HOOKUPS OF ALL TIME

AND SO MY FRIENDS: I CALL ON YOU TO RISE AND RE-PLUMATE THIS IMPERIAL - THIS - **PHONY PHAROAH**

LASHED INTO FURY BY THE RINGING WORDS OF THE BOY ORATOR OF THE NILE, THE POPULACE STORMED THE PALACE

DOWN WITH RUMESSES!!

THE USURPER AND KING INDEX OF THE LIBRARIANS WERE STILL IN THE WAY AFTER A WET SESSION AT THE "PYRAMID NIGHT CLUB"

OH, MY POOR HEAD! WHAT'S ALL THAT RUMPUSS FOR ANYWAY?!!

BEFORE THEY KNEW WHAT IT WAS ALL ABOUT, RUMESSES AND HIS PAL WERE HUSTLED INTO THEIR WHAT-YAMA-CALLEMS AND SENT UP THE RIVER

THIS, ACCORDING TO RIDIKULUS, THE HISTORIAN, DID PHAROAH KAVIARGNE HIS WICKED HALF-BROTHER THE AIR, AND THE HAPPY EGYPTIANS ONCE MORE BOWED BEFORE THEIR TRUE PHAROAH

RISE, MY LOYAL SUBJECTS. AND CUT YOURSELF A PIECE OF CAKE!!

THE END..

ETS BEAT SOLDIERS.

Petworth Mets triumphed over Port Washington Basketball Team tonight at Macfarland Gymnasium 20, with Jasper and Heinrich leading roles. Petworth met them tonight in the Sunday School. For games with the Mets, to Manager Stackhouse at Colum

Met.	Q	P	Pt.	Wash.	Q	P
if	5	0	10	Lott,if	5	0
h,rf	3	1	11	Callahan,if	0	0
ouse,c	0	0	0	Fah,rf	2	0
ll,c	3	0	8	Luv,c	1	0
lg	0	0	0	Klein	0	0
				Ferguson,lg	3	0
an,rg	1	0	2	Malloy,lg	1	0
rg	0	0	0	Oleson,rg	1	0
				Drogan,rg	0	0
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NATIONAL CAPITAL PIN LEAGUE STANDINGS

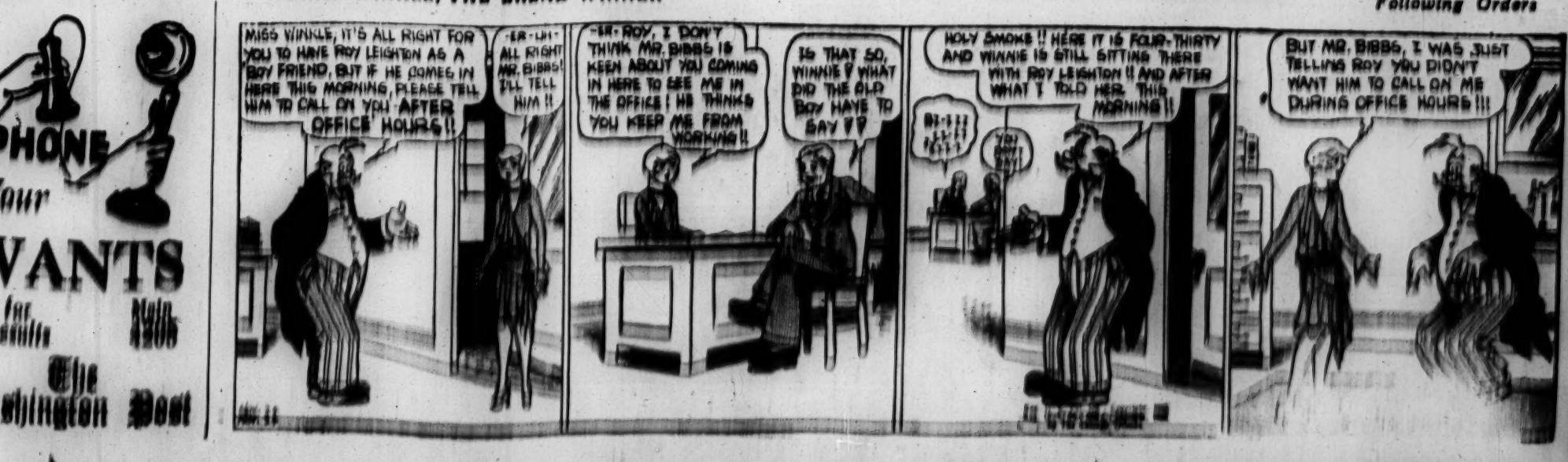
TEAM STANDING.				
	W.	L.	Pct.	T.Pins
Davis.....	17	5	.792	13,359
Pin.....	17	7	.708	13,490
Py Milling Sta.	17	7	.708	13,216
Denham Co.....	17	7	.708	13,077
Cafeteria.....	15	9	.640	13,184
England Cafe.	14	10	.583	12,861
ds.....	11	13	.458	12,701
s Life Ins.....	5	19	.208	11,861
Smith Co.....	4	20	.167	11,990
Chase.....	1	23	.042	10,246

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES.

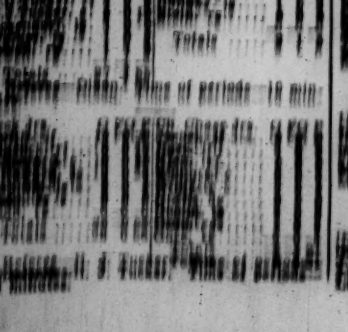
BOBBY THATCHER



WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREAD WINNER



1990



COMMUNITY CHEST LISTS 88 MEMBERS IN CHARITIES' UNION

Seven Applications Still Pending
as Executives Approve 12
More Societies.

OBJECTIVE OF CAMPAIGN
MAY EXCEED \$1,000,000

John Poole, Bank President,
Is Added to Governing
Committee of Group.

Ranks of organization members of the Community Chest were swelled to 88 yesterday, when the executive committee approved applications of twelve bodies which had previously met with the approval of the membership committee. There still remain pending several applications for membership.

The rapid growth of the organization since its founding a short time ago caused Charles J. Bell, chairman of the membership committee, to predict after yesterday's meeting that eventually the membership will be between 40 and 50. He said that this would set a record for the number of organizations united in a chest in a city the size of Washington.

Seven Applications Pending.

Seven organizations' applications are still to be acted upon by the membership committee and the board, and it is expected that action will be taken on these within a short time.

The chest expects to open its drive for a united charity fund for the city either late in January or early in February. The sum is expected to exceed \$1,000,000, making it the most extensive charity drive ever attempted in the National Capital.

John Poole Is Executive.

The executive committee, which met following the meeting of the membership committee yesterday, elected John Poole, president of the Federal American Bank, a member of the board of trustees.

The agencies added to the list of members yesterday, together with their representatives for the board of trustees of the chest, so far as named, are: Jewish Welfare Federation, Hebrew Home for the Aged, Jewish Community Center, United Hebrew Relief Society, Jewish Foster Home, Junia K. Nye House of the Council of Women; Juvenile Protective Association, represented by Mrs. Walter S. Brown and Miss Mildred Terrell; George Washington University Hospital, by C. H. Woodhull and Dr. D. C. Borden; Washington Cooperative Society, by Mrs. J. H. Brown and Mrs. William J. Flather, Jr.; Citizens Relief Association, by Walter C. Clephane and Walter S. Pratt, Jr.; the Children's Hospital, and the Council of Social Agencies.

Extension Is Planned For Maryland Avenue

Maryland avenue will be extended from Fifteenth and H streets northeast to Oklahoma avenue, the District Commissioners decided yesterday, unless such a plan meets with unexpected opposition from the National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

The Commission yesterday discussed the extension plans for Maryland avenue in board session yesterday and submitted the proposed scheme to the planning commission for comment before formally approving it.

District Heads Approve School Site Purchase

Purchase of four lots from Mary J. Edwards as a part of a site for a new junior high school to be erected in the Reno section was approved by the District Commissioners yesterday.

The school is to be built in the neighborhood of Third and D streets northwest. The District is to pay \$3,885 for the four lots owned by Mrs. Edwards. This figure, Daniel E. Gargis, secretary of the Board of Commissioners, said, is within the limit of 125 per cent of the assessed value of the property.

Man Hurt in Collision With Police-Owned Car

An automobile, belonging to the Police Department and attached to the Detective Bureau, was in collision yesterday morning at Sixth and C streets northwest with a car driven by Pedro Atwood, colored, 47 years old, of 1400 Massachusetts avenue southeast, in an ambulance to Casualty Hospital, where he was treated by Dr. Raitini for a cut over one eye.

The police automobile was driven by Eugene L. Ware, headquarters driver, of 1421 D street southeast. Both cars were slightly damaged.

Fowler Advises Guard Against Diphtheria Peril

Warning against the prevalence of diphtheria not only in Washington but throughout the country, Dr. William C. Fowler, District health officer, yesterday issued a statement, urging care in the handling of toys, balloons and similar things.

Parents, Fowler said, should restrain their children from playing with balloons and other articles in their mouths indiscriminately, because the disease may be contracted from such a source.

Man Denies Tampering With Gas-Meter Pipe

Reading not guilty to an accusation that he had violated the law by connecting a gas pipe so it would pass through a gas meter, Lewis H. Phillips, Jr., was liberated in \$500 bail yesterday by Judge Ralph Given in Police Court for a jury trial.

Phillips was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Lewis H. Hart, of the Washington Gas Light Co. The warrant charged that the pipe was so installed to avoid having the meter register the amount of gas consumed.

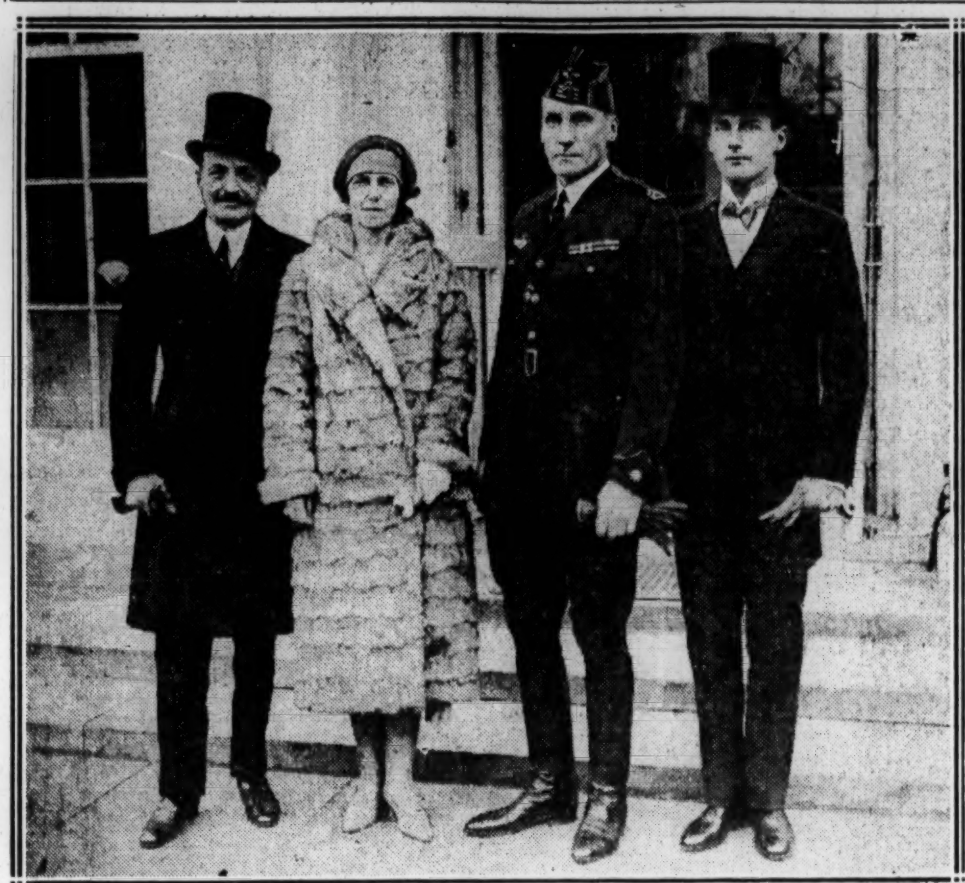
Boy of 9 Injured by Auto

Paul Jones, 9 years old, of 142 Tennessee avenue northeast suffered a fractured right leg yesterday afternoon when he was struck in front of his home by an automobile said by police to have been driven by Otto M. Teague, 1410 Massachusetts avenue southeast. The boy was taken to Providence Hospital where he was treated by Dr. O'Donnell. His condition is not considered serious.

Court Annuls Marriage

Final decree of annulment of the marriage of Sergt. George A. Ironside, Army Medical Corps, to Emma O. Asher was signed yesterday by Justice Jennings Bailey in Equity Division of the District Supreme Court.

SPANISH ROYALTY PRESENTED AT WHITE HOUSE



Members of the Spanish royal family presented to President Coolidge at the White House. Left to right—Senor Don Alejandro Padilla, Spanish Ambassador to the United States; her royal highness Infanta Beatrice; Infante Alfonso, her husband, and Prince Alvaro, their son. After the visit at the White House the visitors lunched at the embassy and then left for Philadelphia.

CIVIC FEDERATION HEADS REELECTED

H. I. Brown, Hindered in Post
by Business, Only One
Not Returned.

SUCCEEDED BY BEASLEY

The Federation of Civic Associations last night, in the board room at the District Building, held a quiet election, returning to office all of the former officers with the exception of Huer I. Brown, who was succeeded by George W. Beasley as recording secretary, his business engagements not permitting him to continue in the position.

Dr. George H. Richardson was re-elected president of the federation for the eighth term, and W. H. Lewis, a member of the citizens' legislative advisory council, was returned as first vice president.

A proposed amendment to the constitution which aimed to give the federation power to determine controversies arising from boundary questions as new associations applied for membership, was defeated, leaving the determination with individual associations to be based on their willingness or unwillingness to cede territory for incoming organizations.

A resolution offered by H. D. Woodson congratulating Dr. John R. Hawkins for successful management of the colored voters' division of the Hoover-Curtis campaign organization was held over for future consideration. The federation asked the Commissioners to establish building lines in outlying communities where streets were laid out with a width of twenty feet before the highway extension plan was inaugurated.

Economic conditions affecting the negro in the community consumed the major portion of time allotted for discussion. Reports of wholesale discharge of colored employees by various chain stores were made by delegates from all parts of the city, and a committee was appointed to make a report at the next meeting of the federation on a survey of the negro's economic situation.

Other officers elected were Dr. J. J. Foster, second vice president; H. A. Grant, assistant recording secretary; John E. Bowles, corresponding secretary; Capt. Howard D. Queen, treasurer, and the Rev. Arthur Chichester, chaplain.

Man Injured by Auto; Faulty Brakes Blamed

John H. Taylor, 62 years old, of 408 H street northwest, was struck yesterday morning at Sixth and H streets northwest by an automobile, said by police to have been operated by George W. Binckney, of 361 G street northwest. Taylor was taken in a passing automobile to Emergency Hospital, where he was treated for a possible fracture of the left leg and bruises.

Kellogg to Talk Over Phone to Prague Today

Transatlantic telephone service between Washington and Prague will be established today when Secretary of State Kellogg talks to President Masarik of Czechoslovakia.

On Monday, it was announced, Counta Spanish Morocco will be made available for transatlantic telephone communication, as will all points in Spain.

Policeman's Testimony Frees Man on Drunkenness Charge

Called as a prosecution witness against Clyde M. Shropshire, of 1127 Euclid street northwest, in Police Court yesterday, Policeman W. F. McAuliffe, of the Eighth Precinct, gave testimony which resulted in the defendant's acquittal by a directed verdict on an accusation of driving while under the influence of liquor.

Shropshire was arrested ten days ago on Eighteenth street northwest while motoring with two young women. He followed the defendant's car several blocks and at one juncture Shropshire drove on the wrong side of the street. Policeman W. A. Johnson, of the Eighth Precinct, testified Shropshire showed evidence of influence of liquor. Both policemen declared Shropshire described himself as an official of Lorton, Va. Reformatory and a former secretary to a senator.

Prisoner Pours Evidence Out Courthouse Window

While seated in the Upper Marlboro branch of the Prince Georges County Police Court yesterday, awaiting trial on a charge of possession of an unlawful quantity of intoxicating liquor, Arthur Buckler, 23 years old, Surattsville, Md., is alleged by police to have poured the evidence out of the courtroom window.

GRANGERS INDORSE INCOME TAX RATES

Ten-Day Convention Closes
With Resolution on U. S.
and State Levies.

FARM AID PLAN ADOPTED

The National Grange, through delegates to its sixty-second annual convention, yesterday before adjourning committed the order to a program of national and State taxation. A proposal for a ten-day convention, however, was referred back to committee without instructions.

The agricultural body, which closed its ten-day sessions at the Willard Hotel last night, is pledged to the following recommendations, submitted by Ralph W. Smith, chairman of the committee on taxation.

Retention of the Federal inheritance tax, with no reduction in rates.

Retention of the Federal income tax, with no reduction in rates until the indebtedness incurred during the war has been paid.

Retention of the various States of income tax laws and the enactment by Congress of an excess profit tax to apply to stocks and bonds and other intangible property.

County Tax Plan Discarded.

A proposed intangible property tax designed to benefit counties and townships was returned to the tax committee.

The Grange adopted four major planks as a basis for farm relief legislation to be asked of Congress. These included:

First, a system of cooperative marketing, to eliminate waste in distribution under the guidance of a Federal Farm Board. This alone, however, is utterly inadequate to solve the problem.

Second, a flexible system of export duties, to enable producers to receive tariff benefits.

Third, a more extended and effective application of the tariff system to agricultural products in order to hold the American market as completely as possible for American producers.

Fourth, a land policy designed to avoid uneconomic agricultural expansion.

In presenting the report of the committee on legislation, Jesse Newsom, master of the Indiana State Grange, said:

"The farm depression continues. It has extended to all parts of the country. The National Grange recognizes the need for prompt action by Congress."

"No single remedy can be found to the farm problem. Remedies tend in two directions: reduction in costs and increases in prices paid producers. The farmer has increased his efficiency in a measure comparable with that manifested in other lines of industry. Such costs as taxes, freight and labor are beyond his control."

Unsafe Elevators Charged in Court

Violation of Building Rule
in Three Structures Al-
leged by District.

The District government yesterday went into the Police Court in its fight against elevators in the Department of Justice Building, which, it charges, are operated unsafely and improperly. Information against the Wardman Construction Co., alleged violation of the building regulations in its operation of elevators in the three buildings.

Hearing on the charges was postponed until Tuesday by Judge Isaac R. Hitt, who acted on the request of Harry Boner, vice president of the defendant company.

The charges grew out of investigation into the death of Blackburn Esterline, attorney, who was killed when he fell down an elevator shaft in the Department of Justice Building, owned by the Wardman Construction Co. According to the charges, elevators in the three buildings are not provided with emergency releases for enclosure doors, are without collapsible gates and electric contacts and have no bumper springs under the counterweight.

War Department Aids Give Red Cross \$6,023

The War Department reported to the roll call headquarters of the District Chapter of the American Red Cross yesterday that \$6,023.75 had been contributed by the officials and employees of the department to date for the roll call.

COMMERCE INQUIRY ONTO RADIO SET OWNED AT BOWIE STARTED

Federal Prosecution Planned
if Operation Is Found to
Be Unlawful.

SETS DECLARED USED
TO SEND RACING DATA

Seizure Follows Unsuccessful
Hunt for Wireless Vest by
Baltimore Chief.

A thorough investigation of the alleged use of a radio set in the transmission of racing information from near the Bowie race track was started yesterday by W. B. Terrell, chief of the radio division of the Department of Commerce. Should it be found that the radio, which was seized by Prince Georges County police Thursday in a house about a mile from the track, was being used in violation of the law prosecutions will be started by the department.

The radio set was uncovered by Deputy Sheriff A. W. Hepburn and County Police V. M. Nichols and Harry Robinson, who traced the location by the flash of what appeared to be a heliograph signaling apparatus. Two powerful telescopes mounted on tripods which commanded a view of the start and finish of the races at the Bowie track were also seized. A smaller set built into a vest were seized and four men arrested.

Arrested Men From Baltimore.

The four men arrested gave their names as Peter Coane, John Fay, Thomas Payne and John T. Galt, of Baltimore. They were released on a bond of \$750 after a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace H. M. Gore, of Upper Marlboro. They will appear before the Upper Marlboro branch of the Prince Georges Police Court Friday to answer charges of bookmaking and sending out racing information unlawfully. State Senator Lansdale G. Sasser has been retained as counsel for the men.

Terrell said yesterday that his office will make a thorough investigation of the affair and that prosecutions will be entered into if it is found that the men were violating the law. He said that before any definite action can be taken by his office it must determine whether the men were violating the law.

Cadmus' Inquiry Fruitless.

R. Y. Cadmus, supervisor of radio at Baltimore, investigated a report received by the department last month which declared that a man with a portable radio set was sending out information from the Laurel race track. His investigation was fruitless, however, and he reported that the letter was a crank. Radio officials say that a sending set can be built small enough to be carried in a pair of field glasses.

The portable set captured was sewed into a canvas bag which was wired and contained a leather pocket in which the battery was kept. The antenna was a band of wire which was looped around the shoulder.

Distance Rider Speaks To Geographic Society

A. F. Tachiffely, Argentine school teacher, described for members of the National Geographic Society at the Washington Auditorium last night, a two and one-half years' journey he made by horseback from Buenos Aires to Washington, a distance of nearly 10,000 miles.

Tachiffely said he set out on his remarkable journey "to prove the hardness of the crillio horses of the pampas." In introducing him, Dr. Gilbert S. Grover, president of the society, said that for the address he was making last night, Tachiffely and his horse, Mancho, had been lost on the Vestrin, on which the school teacher had booked return passage to Argentina.

Motorist Is Held In Kumler's Death

J. A. Royston, Whose Car
Was in Crash, Bound to
Grand Jury.

Joseph A. Royston, 40 years old, of Oakland, Va., was held for the grand jury by a coroner's jury at the District Morgue yesterday in connection with the death in an automobile accident Wednesday night of Preston Kumler, 50 years old, State Department, observer of Communist activities in the United States.

The collision occurred at Twenty-eight and M streets northwest. Royston was driving east on M street and Kumler north on Twenty-eighth street. Kumler was on his way to the home of Mrs. Ruth Ann McCormick, where he was to be a dinner guest.

Apparently unsatisfactory evidence as to who was responsible for the accident was the reason for the jury action in holding Royston to the grand jury. Patrolman M. F. Collins, two colored men who saw the collision and Mr. C. E. Edgerton, collector of the District, were among the witnesses called.

Funeral services for Mr. Kumler, who lived at the Metropolitan Club, were held yesterday afternoon at the residence of a friend and former law partner, Edward E. Burling, 2630 Rock Creek road drive, northwest. The body was to be taken to Evansville, Ind., for burial.

Testimony Sought In Wittner Case

Dougherty Asks Associates
in Traffic Bureau to
Give Information.

With Inspector E. W. Brown, of the Traffic Bureau, charging several things against Loren H. Wittner, Traffic Bureau clerk, and Wittner denying most of them in his answer, the District Commissioners yesterday called for statements from other employees of the Traffic Bureau to support or contradict Brown's charges, on which he based his recommendation that Wittner be dismissed.

Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty said that he is in no hurry to act until he is certain all pertinent information has been received. The Commissioners, he said, are anxious not to do Wittner any injustice or to do anything which they may later have to regret, either in this case or in similar cases in which the Wittner case might set a precedent.

Wittner is charged by Brown with not keeping his records up to date, with the result that other employees had to be assigned to do his work; with using the telephone for private business; with receiving callers and discussing matters with them; with receiving and distributing an "offensive" book on companion marriage, free love and similar subjects among bureau employees.

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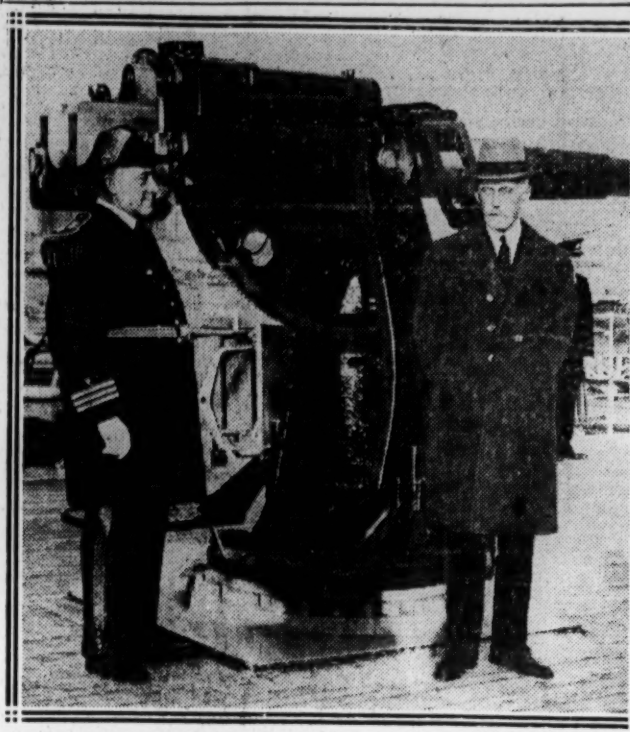
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MELLON INSPECTS CUTTER



Andrew Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, yesterday visited the United States Coast Guard cutter "Chelan," which dropped anchor off the Navy Yard Wednesday. Commander R. W. Dempwolf at the left. The cutter is scheduled to leave on Monday.

Senator King Again Assails District Chiefs' Pay Boost

"Would Return \$1,500 Increase to Treasury if Possible,"
Democrat, of Utah, Declares as He Lauds Commissioners—Explains Plan to Increase Their Power.

Raising the salaries of the District Commissioners from \$7,500 to \$9,000 was "wrong," in the opinion of Senator William H. King, Democrat of Utah, a member of the Senate District committee.

"If there were any honorable way in which it could be done," Senator King said yesterday, "I would try and have those raises returned to the Treasury."

The Commissioners received their raises through the passage of the Welch bill, which gave pay increases to all persons in the classified service. While it is not generally known, the Commissioners, although presidential appointees, are in the classified service.

Senator King made it clear that his opposition to a raise for the Commissioners had nothing to do with his personal opinion of these officials. He said he thought they are very good men and well fitted for their jobs.

"It is my belief," he said, "that we have gone mad about raising the salaries of our public officials. I was opposed to raising the pay of senators

from \$7,500 to \$10,000, and I voted against it. I still think it was wrong."

At the last session, Senator King strongly opposed a bill which would have increased the pay of the Commissioners to \$10,000 a year. "The commissioners knew what the pay was when they sought the office," he pointed out, "and could always leave it if they found the pay inadequate."

Senator King has received a number of letters commenting on his suggestion that the District Commissioners be given more power. He said that he had explained, what he had in mind, he explained, was that the commissioners should be given authority over such things as the disinterring of bodies, the installation of conduits and other minor matters that now require Congressional action. Empowering the commissioners with such authority, he said, would save much time and trouble and would make for efficiency and economy.

Speed on District Measures Pledged

Bride Gets Promise Bills for
New Judge and Claims
Will Be Pressed.

Early enactment of two pending measures of District legislation was promised by Representative Zihlman, Maryland chairman of the House District committee, at a conference yesterday with William W. Bride, District corporation counsel.

Bride is anxious to have enacted measures providing for the appointment of another judge to the District Supreme Court bench, to handle, for the most part, condemnation proceedings.

Another measure which is of pressing importance, Brice feels, is that authorizing the District Commissioners to compromise claims against the District, amounting to \$5,000 or less. The latter measure has been passed by both House and Senate, although in different form, and Representative Zihlman said he would move for an early vote on the bill between the two houses.

Movie of Passion Play Will Be Shown Tonight

The motion picture film taken recently of the Passion Play at Freiburg, Germany, will be shown at the Washington Auditorium tonight at 7:45 o'clock. The Passion Play, much like the play in Oberammergau, is under the direction of Dimitri Buchowetzki.

Jelleff Reelected Boys' Club Leader

Many Business Men Visit
Quarters During Annual
Executives' Meeting.

Frank R. Jelleff was reelected president of the Boys Club of Washington at the annual election of officers held last night at the headquarters, 230 C street northwest.

Other officers elected are John Dolph, first vice president; William L. Radcliffe, second vice president; J. Philip Herrmann, treasurer; Simon Lyon, counselor; and Francis W. Thomson, secretary. The following were elected as trustees for three years: William L. Radcliffe, William E. Russell, C. L. Harding, W. W. Griffith, Harold A. Brooks, Sidney W. Strassburg, F. E. Horn, Chester D. Swope, Roland Whitehurst and Charles H. Pardee.

A dance followed the meeting. A large number of business men visited the club during the afternoon and evening to see the boys. Every department was in action, including the gymnasium, library and shops.

Coolidge Breaks Early Walk So Starling Can Join Guard

President Coolidge is a Mahomet when it comes to taking his early morning constitutional, it developed yesterday.

In other words, if he does not find Col. E. W. Starling, veteran scout service man, waiting for him, the President goes to Col. Starling.

This was demonstrated last Sunday morning, when President Coolidge walked into the lobby of the Willard Hotel about 6:30 o'clock, and glanced at the headlines of the morning papers at the newstand.

While the President was thus occupied, his bodyguard went to a telephone and called Col. Starling. The colonel completed his toilet and hurried to the lobby.

In the meantime, the President, who formerly lived at the hotel, had summoned to the F street entrance. When Col. Starling emerged a few minutes later, the morning constitutional was resumed.

FIRE TRUCK SPEED LIMIT IS FROWNED ON BY MAJ. HESSE

Police Chief Informs District
Heads That He Agrees
With Watson.

URGES SLOWER RETURN
TO STATIONS, HOWEVER

Parley Expected Before Action
on Coroner's Jury Plan
for Safety.

Speed of apparatus returning from fires or alarms was another matter, however, Hesse said, and suggested that returning apparatus be not given the freedom that is and should be continued for apparatus responding to alarms.

Although formal action was not taken on the question by the Commissioners, it is understood they were in virtual agreement with the present freedom should be continued for apparatus on the way to a fire.

The order sent out to all fire companies last week ago by the Commissioners cautioning each company that it should limit its speed to that with which it could travel with safety, and warning that violation of the ordinary traffic regulations might cause confusion among motorists or pedestrians, the Commissioners are said to believe, goes about as far as it is possible to go in that direction.

Hesse, however, raised another question of speed, and that was whether the automobiles of battalion and other chiefs should not be placed under greater restrictions. It is probable that Watson and Hesse again will be consulted by Commissioner Proctor L. Dougherty before the Commissioners finally act on the proposal of the coroner's jury for restriction of the speed of fire apparatus.

New Traffic Signals
Cost Fifteen \$5 Each

Fifteen motorists arrested for failure to heed the newly installed traffic signal lights on Rhode Island avenue yesterday in Traffic Court. The arrests were made Thursday in a police drive to compel obedience to the lights.

Inspector Francis Schuchert, secured a had made a personal inspection of the lights with Lieut. B. A. Lamb, of the Traffic Bureau. The magistrate declared the lights, as far as he could observe, operated satisfactorily and added that recent criticism of the new signals was unjust. A squad of Traffic Bureau patrolmen have been assigned to duty along the boulevard under order to arrest for flagrant violations of the signals.

Pedestrian Is Injured When Struck by Auto

Max A. Wagschal, 65 years old, 1307 Park road northwest, was injured last night when knocked down by a car driven by William A. Dickerson, 20 years old, 516 Tuckerman street northwest.

Dickerson took Wagschal to Garfield Hospital, where physicians said he had a possible fracture of the right arm. An X-ray will be taken today to determine the full extent of his injuries. Dickerson was arrested, but later released. He was driving north on Thirtieth street when his auto struck the man.

B'nai B'rith Will Make Final Drive for Funds

A final intensive effort to attain the \$25,000 quota of the B'nai B'rith wider scope campaign will be made by the members of the Washington lodge. Chairman Hyman M. Goldstein announced yesterday that the amount on hand is well over \$15,000. Final reports will be made at a luncheon at the City Club Monday.

Norman Stewart Elected at Conclusion of Conference

Norman Stewart, 20 years old, of St. Thomas, Ontario, was elected president of the Young Railroad Men at the conclusion of the sixth international conference yesterday at the Mayflower Hotel. S. F. Tulman, assistant secretary on the New York Central Railroad, presided.

Canadian, 20, Heads Younger Rail Men

Other officers elected were: Arthur Strickland, Florence S. C. C. vice president; G. Cammaria, Columbus, Ohio, second vice president; J. K. Keefe, Chicago, secretary; Charles Gordon, machinist, apprentice on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, corresponding secretary; and J. W. B. Fryer, Canton, Ohio; J. B. Reese, Waco, Tex.; G. Wallace, New Haven, Conn.; and Charles MePeck, Matamoras, Pa.